

## TWO MEN ARE KILLED IN ROSCOE WRECK.

### Wild Engine Collides With a Passenger Train

### THE CRASH OCCURS ON A SHARP CURVE.

### Engineer James Walsh, and An Unknown Brakeman Killed, and Several Of the Trainmen Seriously Injured--Question as to Orders Given the Wild Engine--Caledonia Agent Says He Gave No Clearance.

A freight engine running wild struck the DeKalb passenger at 7:50 this morning.

The engines collided on a curve and reared up together.

Both boilers burst, and the engines toppled over sideways. The tender of the one lying amid the ruins of the combination baggage and passenger car.

Under each engine lay pinioned a man, held down by twisted iron, coal and timbers.

Two men killed instantly, and several others scalded or crushed so badly as to be helpless.

In this way the results of the wreck may be summed up.

**The Dead.**  
JAMES WALSH, Baraboo, Wis., engineer on train No. 14, killed instantly. Leaves a wife and one son in Baraboo.

UNKNOWN--brakeman on engine No. 36, killed instantly.

**The Injured.**  
J. C. CONK, Baraboo, fireman on train No. 14, badly scalded and crushed about body.

W. J. WALKER, Baraboo, engineer of engine No. 14, badly crushed and scalded.

GEORGE DEVINS, Janesville, conductor on train No. 14, ribs broken.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Logansville, Wis., fireman on engine No. 36, left shoulder broken. Lives in Logansville, Wis. Unmarried.

MORRIS JONES, Janesville, express messenger, shaken up badly but not seriously injured.

All the Crew Stay Here.

The wrecked train was the Belvidere passenger that leaves here at 7 a. m. It is made up in Janesville and all of the crew stay here. The wreck occurred two miles beyond Roscoe or about nine miles south of Beloit. The passenger train was on time, so the accident must have resulted from an error in orders given to the light engine or else misunderstanding of orders by the engine crew.

The train went out this morning in charge of Conductor George Devins and with Engineer James Walsh and Fireman J. C. Conk in the cab. Engineer O. E. Sherwood has had the run until about a week ago, when he took a six months' lay off intending to try his hand at the laundry business in Milwaukee. He was around the city yesterday bidding goodbye to his friends and scolding himself for having given up his run. His action doubtless saved his life, however, as the appearance of the wrecked engine at Roscoe showed how impossible it would have been for the engineer to have escaped.

**Train Was Going Slow**

The train went out of Roscoe on time and was climbing the hill on the big curve two miles below Roscoe when Engine 36 came in sight running light. The passenger train was not running fast on account of the grade, but the wild engine was making good time, the engineer realizing that his time margin for getting into Roscoe was small. There was just time to set the air brakes on the passenger train before the two engines struck. The collision occurred almost directly under a bridge where a road crosses the track. The engines went up in the air together, then toppled over.

Both boilers burst almost simultaneously.

Two farmers were at the end of the bridge when the crash came. They said the engines seemed to be blown fairly off the ground. The shock drove the tender of the passenger engine back into the combination car its full length.

**How the Trainmen Escaped**

Messenger Morris Jones escaped by a miracle. It seemed impossible, after viewing the wreck that anybody could have been in the baggage compart-

ment and escape. His escape was due to the fact that he was in the extreme rear end of the compartment. Conductor Devins was in the aisle of the passenger compartment and was thrown through the door into the baggage end, falling under the tank of the engine.

It was about the engines that those most seriously injured were found. Under the passenger engine lay Fireman Cone buried beneath the coal. It required an hour and a half of hard work to get him out, and then it was found that he had been frightfully scalded from the waist down and had been so badly crushed about the chest that he could hardly breathe.

**Brakeman Under the Engine.**

Under the light engine lay the brakeman who had joined the crew only a day or two ago. He was an Englishman, and was not known to anybody on either train. Among themselves the trainmen had called him "English."

Engineer Walker had been thrown many feet from the track and lay unconscious. Fireman Williams had jumped clear just before the crash occurred and rolled about fifty yards before he stopped.

A providential escape was that of Baggageman Fred Hauser, of this city. His wife wanted to go with him today and he urged her not to go. She persisted and was in the rear passenger coach. After leaving Roscoe Hauser stepped out of the baggage car and went back and sat beside his wife. He had hardly seated himself when the crash came. Had he been in the car his death would have been almost inevitable.

**Passengers Were Not Hurt.**

None of the passengers were seriously hurt. A few were jarred by being thrown against the seat in front, and one man who was whittling when the crash came, cut off the end of his thumb.

As soon as the news of the wreck could be telephoned out, a special was sent from Beloit with six physicians on board. The Janesville wrecking crew was hurriedly gotten together and sent on another special, with Assistant Superintendent F. R. Moulton in charge. It was found that the track had not been torn up, and the report was sent that an hour's work would be sufficient to open the road.

**Dispute as to Orders.**

Inquiries were begun at once as to the responsibility for the wreck. The station agent at Caledonia rode up to the wreck on a hand car, and while talking with passengers, declared that he gave no orders to the light engine and that the engine had no clearance from Caledonia. It was assumed from this that the light engine was running with orders to simply keep clear of the southbound passenger. The report at the wreck was that the engineer and fireman of No. 36 had figured on their time before leaving Caledonia and had made up their minds that there was time to reach Roscoe before the passenger was due to leave. Fireman Williams of No. 36 denied this.

**Fireman Williams' Statement**  
"We got orders in Caledonia to run special to Evansville," he said. "We have those orders with us."

Engineer Walsh came here Thursday of last week to take his new run, to which Engineer James Walsh, of this city, had at first been assigned. With Engineer Walsh came his son, a boy of nineteen. The boy is supposed to have gone on to Port Arthur, Tex.

Sunday, Mrs. Walsh accompanied her husband down from Baraboo. She went back home on the 6:30 train this morning. Both Engineer Walsh and fireman Cone had been stopping at the European hotel.

The bodies of Engineer Walsh and the brakeman were brought up from Roscoe at 4 o'clock in a caboose. Assistant Superintendent Battin was with the special and went through with it to Baraboo.

A dispatch from Baraboo this afternoon states that the dead brakeman's name was Williams.

**WOUNDED ARE AT THE HOSPITAL**

Four Brought Up from Roscoe on Conductor J. H. Dower's Train.

The bodies of Engineer Walsh and the brakeman were left in Roscoe until after the inquest. Conductor J. H. Dower's train brought the wounded back to Janesville at 11 o'clock.

Conductor Devins was able to sit up, and was taken in a carriage to his home on Linn street, Fourth ward. A bandage tightly drawn about him supported two broken ribs. Surgeons who examined him expressed fears of serious injury about the lungs.

Engineer Walker and Fireman Cone and Williams were taken to the Palmer hospital in the patrol wagon. Walker rallied at the hospital and seemed likely to survive. His left eye had been driven out and his skull punctured just over the eye. His left leg was broken above the knee.

Fireman Cone was burned badly about both legs, and the left arm and about the head. He was bruised about the head but had no bones broken.

Fireman Williams had no bones broken, but was suffering from cuts and bruises.

"English," the brakeman, was not killed instantly, Beloit physicians report. He was lifted up and given a drink of water. A moment later he dropped back dead.

**WHAT TWO EYE-WITNESSES SAW**

J. E. Levey and W. H. Hoffman Watched the Meeting of the Engines

J. E. Levey and W. H. Hoffman, two farm hands living at Roscoe, were the men who saw the collision.

"I have always wondered how a railroad collision looked," said Levey, "but I never want to see another. We were chopping wood only a few feet from the track when we heard the whistle of the engine coming from the south. Almost at the same instant we heard the approach of the passenger from the north and realized that a collision was about to take place. High banks line the track at this point and as we rushed to the brink we were just in time to see the engines meet."

"Neither engine went very high in the air, but both seemed to explode. We ran down to the track at once. The first man we saw was the fireman of the passenger train. His legs seemed to have been driven right down into the dirt."

**FIREMAN WILLIAMS' STORY**

Had Orders to Run Special to Evansville, He Declares

William Williams was able to sit up in the train returning to Janesville. "We were three miles south of Roscoe and had just whistled for the curve when the passenger train came in sight not more than ten rods away."

"I yelled for all to jump, and made a flying leap. The next thing I knew I was lying within a few feet of the dead body of Engineer Walsh of the passenger. Engineer Walker was beside me on a pile of coal."

"Were you running on orders when you left Caledonia?"

"We were. We received orders in Caledonia to run special to Evansville and the orders were very plain."

Engineer William Walker, of Baraboo, engineer on the north bound engine, was too badly injured to be able to talk, and was at once removed to the Palmer hospital.

**KILLED AT MILWAUKEE**

Elderly Man Struck By An Engine Early This Morning.

Milwaukee, March 22.—[Special]—William Fischer was struck by a Wisconsin local train on the St. Paul tracks at North Avenue station this morning, and died from the effects of his injuries two hours later at Emergency hospital. He was sixty-nine years old.

**Caught in a Cave-In.**

Rock Falls, Ill., March 22.—[Special]—Two young children of Albert Prins were caught by a cave-in last night. One was killed, and the other seriously injured.

White corn grits 3c per pound in place of 5c per pound at Sanborn's.

## ALL THE NEWS OF THE BADGER STATE

### MUSKEGO LAKE IS HELD TO BE ILLEGALLY DRAINED.

Legislature Has No Power to Authorize Work—Sank County Boy Has Hydrophobia—Chippewa Falls Robbery Only a Boyish Freak—Bar Honors the Dead.

Milwaukee, March 22.—Judge Johnson, of Milwaukee, on Monday signed the findings in the Muskego lake drainage case and awarded the plaintiff, August Priewe, \$1,000 damages, by reason of injury to his fishing resort on the lake, caused by the lowering of the water. Of greater interest than the awarding of damages to Priewe, however, was the language of the findings in relation to the right of the state to give a lake to private persons or corporations. The judge holds that the law passed by the legislature, conveying and authorizing the taking of the lands for private use, known as chapter 202 of the laws of 1891, was unconstitutional, that the state holds the inland lake in trust for the public, and not as absolute proprietor, and has no power to grant them for private purposes. He says the plaintiff is entitled to a judgment requiring the defendant to fill up the canal and ditches dug by it to drain the lake, and that he is entitled to a permanent injunction restraining the defendants from continuing the work of drainage.

**WAS A BOYISH FREAK.**

Outcome of the Recent Attempted Robbery in Chippewa Falls.

Amateur hold-ups as practiced by a trio of novices in Chippewa Falls, are not a success, as the three youths who attempted to rob Mrs. Frank Hunter's place will testify. Development from the light on the occurrence at Hunter's place is said that instead of its being a real hold up, the three fellows were only attempting a joke on the inmates, which was spoiled by Mrs. Hunter's aggressive attitude. The affair came near terminating fatally for two, Mrs. Hunter receiving a wound in the head, and one of the intruders getting a bullet in the hip. The wounded man was forced to call in a doctor to extract the bullet, and of course the matter could no longer be kept a secret. It is said that the man's wound is a serious one although it will not prove fatal. Mrs. Hunter's injury is but slight, the bullet just grazing the scalp as it passed over her head.

**ROLL OF HONORED DEAD.**

Tributes to the Memory of Departed Members of the Wisconsin Bar.

Memorial exercises will be held in the supreme court Monday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock, for the late Justice J. W. Newman, Judge James B. Doolittle, of Racine and Judge Joseph T. Mills of Lancaster. Resolutions and addresses, paying tribute to all three, presented by committees appointed for that purpose, those who thus honored Judge Newman being Joseph W. Losey of La Crosse, Burr W. Jones of Madison and Judge J. M. Morrow of Sparta; for Mr. Doolittle, Judge E. B. Hand of Racine, J. V. Quarles and Joseph E. Dodge of Milwaukee; for Judge Mills, John T. Clark of Lancaster and A. R. Bushnell of Madison.

**AFFLICTED WITH HYDROPHOBIA**

Sank County Lad Shows Symptoms of the Disease.

Charles Good, residing near Valton, in Sank county, is afflicted in a peculiar manner. About eighteen years ago he was bitten by a dog and about two years after that became subject to epileptic fits. Early in this month he was taken with the symptoms of hydrophobia, by imitating the barking of a dog for a time. Water does not affect him, and for this reason the attending physician does not think that he is afflicted with rabies. He is in such a serious state, however, that a constant watch is required.

**Pensions For Wisconsin People.**

Washington, D. C., March 21.—Pensions granted persons residing in Wisconsin: Original, William Warne, Wisconsin Veterans' home, Waupaca, \$12; George P. Goodwin, Burlington, \$6. Additional, John Cater, Knowlton, \$6 to \$8 Restoration and Supplemental, Richard Liver (dead), West Bend, \$4. Increase, Joseph J. Clark, Roscoe, \$8 to \$10; George Darke, Hillsboro, \$8 to \$12. Original Widows, etc., Maria Carrier, Stoughton, \$8.

**Eight Hours' Labor In Racine.**

Racine, Wis., March 22.—At a meeting of the city board an ordinance was passed making eight hours a day's work for all city work. The Board of Public Works will hereafter be obliged to insert the eight-hour clause in all its contracts.

A resolution was adopted instructing the mayor to appoint a committee to solicit aid for needy Cubans.

**State News in Brief.**

John Marshall, a pioneer resident of Marinette, was assaulted and robbed Monday night. He was struck over the head with a slingshot and is now in the hospital. William Garlow has been arrested charged with the crime. The only valuables taken from Marshall were a watch and chain. He had \$125 on his person the day before, but fortunately deposited it in the bank.

## WEATHER FORECAST

Chicago, March 22.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:  
Cold wave tonight.

son the day before, but fortunately deposited it in the bank.

John Thomas, of Racine, no doubt the oldest living man in Wisconsin, has reached the 103d year of his age. In honor of the event the Christian Endeavor society of the West Presbyterian church presented him with \$5, an act it has performed annually for some time.

A party of men on board the yacht Venus rescued two duck hunters on Green bay, who had become fast in the ice, and would have died from hunger and exposure.

The city of Sheboygan spent \$1855, 90 during the month of February to aid poor families in that town. The cost of this work is about \$13,000 a year.

The little daughter of Peter Firkus living near Stevens Point, was burned so badly while playing with matches that she died from the injuries.

Edward Murray of La Crosse, attempted suicide by hanging in the county jail in that city. He is alleged to be insane.

## GET PUBLIC OFFICES

Goodly Batch of Appointments Sent to the Senate This Morning.

Washington, March 22.—[Special]—The president today made the following appointments: J. M. Smith, receiver of public moneys at Duluth, Minn. Postmasters: Wisconsin, I. D. Hurlburt, Prairie du Chien; A. E. Paine, Delavan; Wm. Case, Mauston; C. F. Mohr, Portage; Jackson I. Case, Racine; Frank Riley, Two Rivers. Minnesota, H. G. Wire, St. Cloud; E. L. Fisher, Duluth.

## RESIST DEATH PENALTY

Chinese Militia Refuses to Obey a Mandate Requiring Several Executions.

Shanghai, March 22.—[Special]—A Chinese mob has destroyed the American Episcopal mission at Ohing King, killing an American student. Three of the murderers were sentenced to death, but a large force of Chinese militia refuses to allow the executions to take place.

## CHICAGO'S DAILY FIRE

Large Restaurant Burned and Two Persons Seriously Injured by Flames

Chicago, March 22.—[Special]—Fire this morning destroyed the Monroe restaurant building adjoining the Columbia theatre. Harry Smith and an unknown negro were badly burned. The theatre building was threatened, but the firemen managed to prevent the flames from spreading. Loss \$100,000.

## FORM A NEW REBEKAH LODGE

Exercises Were Held at West Side Odd Fellows' Hall.

At West Side Odd Fellows' hall last evening a new lodge of the Daughters of Rebekah was formed. It was christened Janesville Rebekah Lodge No. 171, and it is here to stay.

Grand Master George William Thwaites, of Milwaukee, the head of the Independent Order Odd Fellows of the state, instituted the lodge, Jerome Howland, of this city, officiating in the capacity of grand marshal.

The lodge starts out with fifty charter members, twenty-one of whom were initiated. The following officers were elected and duly installed:

Noble Grand—Mrs. Susan Smith. Recording Secretary—Flora Warner. Financial Secretary—Mrs. Joseph Hankey.

Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Clark.

Conductor—Anna Parleth.

Warden—Alice Merrill.

Chaplain—Mrs. A. Swift.

Inner Guard—Mrs. J. L. Davey.

Outer Guard—Mrs. Cornelius Stout.

Pianist—Miss Ollie Trumble.

Following the installation a banquet was given, followed by a dance, for which Tuckwood's orchestra furnished the music. A delegation of fifteen Daughters of Rebekah from Evansville came down and took part in the exercises which proved of a most pleasing nature.

## THE SQUAW IS VERY ILL

Indian Woman Suffering From Sickness at Lake Koshkonong

During the past few weeks an Indian squaw has been seriously ill on the Rufus Bingham farm on Lake Koshkonong. She is the wife of one of the party of Indians that have been camping on the Bingham farm during the winter and spending their time trapping and fishing.

The squaw, who is past middle age, has been ill for several weeks, and a good deal of the time lying in the tepee alone and unattended. Mr. Bingham in his kindness of heart had the sick squaw brought to his striping house where she could be made more comfortable and medical assistance has been secured. The husband remains to care for her.

## REPORT ON ITS WAY TO WASHINGTON

### BOARD OF INQUIRY'S CONCLUSIONS ARE EN ROUTE.

Forwarded Under Guard to the President—Its Findings Say the Authorities at Havana Were Culpable—No Doubt That the Explosion Was From Without.

New York, March 22.—[Special]—The following version of the Maine board of inquiry report has been telegraphed from Key West. It says first of all that the discipline maintained by Captain Sigsbee at all times was of the highest character; that a full complement of guards, who always performed their tasks faithfully, were on the lookout; that the ammunition magazines were in perfect order; that the coal bunkers were examined shortly before the explosion, and that they were not unduly warm; in short, that everything was in perfect order at nine o'clock on the night of the explosion. Then will come a resume of the testimony regarding the condition of the ship after the explosion. Having related the facts regarding the condition of the ship which are now known to the public, the report will say that the officers and crew of the Maine were not responsible for the accident. The opinion of the board as to the cause of the accident will then be given. What this will be is not known except to a few high officers, but it is said that the report will say the explosion was caused by some form of torpedo applied externally by unknown persons. No Spanish official will be implicated, but it will be plainly stated that the explosion occurred in the harbor of a nation not at war with the United States.

**MAINE INQUIRY REPORT.**

It Is En Route from Key West to Washington Under Guard.

Key West, March 22.—[Special]—The report of the Maine board of inquiry, en route for Washington, remained on the cruiser Nashville all night. At 9:45 this morning it was given in charge of the sergeant-at-arms of the board and forwarded to Washington by train. It is closely guarded. It will probably reach the president late this evening or early tomorrow morning. There appears to be no doubt that the board has reached the conclusion that the battleship was blown up from the outside, and that prominent Spanish officers in Havana had a guilty knowledge of the plot which resulted so disastrously.

**MADRID AT FEVER HEAT.**

War Feeling and Enlistments Are Exceedingly Lively.

Madrid, March 22.—[Special]—The war fever is growing hourly. Two hundred thousand persons have applied for letters of marque, which gives them the privilege of privateering in the event of war. Warlike preparations are being pushed rapidly. Enlistment is active, and transports leave almost weekly with troops and ammunition for Cuba.

**INDEPENDENCE TO BE RECOGNIZED**

South American Republics Favor the Recognition of Cuba

Washington, March 22.—[Special]—It is stated here that the press ent has been informed that probably all the South American republics will recognize the independence of Cuba simultaneously with the United States. Great Britain is also relied upon to do the same thing.

**GLADSTONE GOES HOME**

Fears That He Will Never Again Leave Hawarden

London, March 22.—[Special]—Gladstone left Bournemouth for Hawarden today. It is feared he will never again leave Hawarden alive.

**Gone to Washington.**

Key West, March 22.—[Special]—Judge Advocate Marx, of the Maine board of inquiry, received instructions from Washington this morning to leave for the national capital tonight with the board's report. He will arrive at Washington Thursday.

**Truly Remarkable.**

Admiral Siciard for the first time expressed an opinion of the Maine disaster last night. He said: "It is the most remarkable occurrence in the history of the world."

**Siciard To Be Retired.**

Washington, March 22.—[Special]—Preliminary steps have been taken to detach Admiral Siciard from the command of the North Atlantic squadron. He has been ordered before a medical board for examination, and will probably be retired.

**Another Torpedo Boat Bought.**

London, March 22.—[Special]—The United States has succeeded in purchasing another torpedo boat here.

**wants the Torpedo Flotilla**

New York, March 22.—[Special]—A dispatch from Havana says Blanco has sent his conditional resignation to Madrid. He insists upon being relieved if the torpedo flotilla now held at the Canary Islands is not sent to Cuba.

**Will Be Sent to Congress**

Washington, March 22.—[Special]—The president today announced that the report of the Maine board of inquiry will be sent to congress early next week.



NEWS FROM NEARBY  
NEIGHBORHOODSINCOMINGS AND OUTGOINGS OF  
ROCK COUNTY PEOPLE.

Gossip of a Personal and Business Character Gleaned by Gazette Reporters in the Garden Spot of Wisconsin—Religious and Social Notes.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY, W. W. CLARK, Manager, Milton, Wis., Mar. 22, 1898.

The live hog market for the past week has not been a desirable one for either shipper or farmer and as a consequence business has been light. The carload shipments for the week from this station include one car of hogs by Vincent & Hassenger, one car each of oats and corn by J. S. Fetherston, and three cars of tobacco by Soverhill & Porter. The freight received in car lots was three of tobacco and two of lumber by Soverhill & Porter, one of coal by G. B. Fetherston, and one of lumber by Saunders.

W. W. Porter of Janesville, spends much of his time here looking after the work of his firm in the warehouse, his foreman, W. S. Jones, being on the sick list.

Whitford & Rood have sold seven new wheels already this season besides some second-hand machines, ranging from Barnes "White Flyer" down to Patee and Duchesne.

Miss Grace Griggs, who has been stopping at H. B. Waterman's for several weeks, returned to her home at Spencer, Iowa, Friday.

Harry Clarke, of Brodhead, spent a few hours with Milton relatives Saturday. He is on the road for The Dohmen Co.

Dunn Bros. & Co., were in the "hen fruit" business last week, farmers bringing in for trade twelve thousand eggs.

John Cartwright, of Cartwright, arrived in town this week to enter college.

Mrs. H. S. Brown is still quite ill, but is not considered in a dangerous condition.

Mrs. Peck, of Fort Atkinson, spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Mrs. Will Grandsall is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Clarence Dunn is enjoying a visit in Chicago this week.

## Milton Junction News.

Milton Junction, March 22—Mr. Crosby left Monday noon for Farina, Ill. His wife and daughter remain here for the present. Will Vanlone and family moved to Beloit this week. Their many friends here are sorry to have them leave, but what is our loss is Beloit's gain. E. D. Coon spent a couple of days this week at Walworth on business as his branch store there.

Miss Flora Richmond, of Lima, is visiting her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. S. Mills. Mrs. Frankie Webster, of Utica, spent Thursday night in town. Miss Edna Keith and Will Friday were married at Janesville last Thursday. They will make their home at Watertown. The Ladies' Aid Society of the S. D. B. church are to hold a social with Mrs. Mary Spaulding this week Thursday night. The Good Templars attended the M. E. Church in a body Sunday night. There were thirty of them in line. Rev. Stephens preached a temperance sermon especially for them, in commemoration of Neal Dow's birthday. It was a good sermon, hot shot right and left. He especially hit some temperance people by saying there were those who would not take the pains to even attend a temperance meeting, unless it was under the special line of temperance work, and said he could count the prohibitionists in the congregation on the fingers of one hand, which was true outside of the Good Templars. Dr. Codman is to move into the Huffman house on Madison street. Will Livingston has rented Mrs. Randall's house. Mrs. Randall is going to Albion to make her home with the family of Samuel Burdick. Rev. G. W. Burdick has sold the farm belonging to him and the Burdick heirs at Utica, Dane county, the past week. The price paid was \$5,000.

Mrs. E. D. Coon of this place, is one of the heirs. The school will give an entertainment next Saturday evening, I believe, although no one has given me notice of the fact. The poverty social of the Epworth League at I. O. O. F. hall last Saturday night, was productive of much merriment and much money, clearing about eighteen dollars. Mrs. Kern received the prize for the worst looking costume among the women, and Alexander Paul, of the men. Two colored ladies sang, and Miss Allie Button recited a couple of pieces.

Shopiere

Shopiere, March 22—Some farmers commenced plowing Wednesday last, but the heavy rain the last of the week made the ground too soft to do much. Miss Rider, of Milton Junction, spent a few days at Mrs. John Weirick's. Miss Lottie Murray was there at the same time. Our school teacher took in the carnival at Clinton, on Thursday evening with others from this place. Mrs. Excell, of Chicago, is visiting this place. Joseph Weirick moved to Beloit Tuesday, and is working in the Eclipse factory. H. B. Walker and wife, of Janesville, visited this place for a few days. Miss Nellie Holmes, of Janesville, is visiting Miss Ida Sweet. Frank Steadell and wife were in town Saturday from Janesville. Frank Allyn and Ray Monley went to Rockford to work last week. Fonda Burk has bought the barber tools of Sam Earl and made some improvements in the shop. Can be found there at all hours. Give him a call. Our La Prairie townsmen, J. Shimeall who has been visiting his father this winter, will devote his time this summer in raising tobacco and handling horses at his La Prairie farm. Lumber for sale cheap at Tiffany.

Johnstown Center.

Johnstown Center, March 22—On last Wednesday at 2 o'clock James Waters, of this place, and Miss Mattie West, of the prairie, were married, in the presence of a few friends and relatives. They will make their home at the Centre. Charles Stoller and wife spent Saturday at Richmond. Mrs. Hannah Waters is slowly improving. Walter Pember and wife were in Janesville Thursday. The Centre people did not celebrate St. Patrick's day.

Johnstown Center.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair. Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

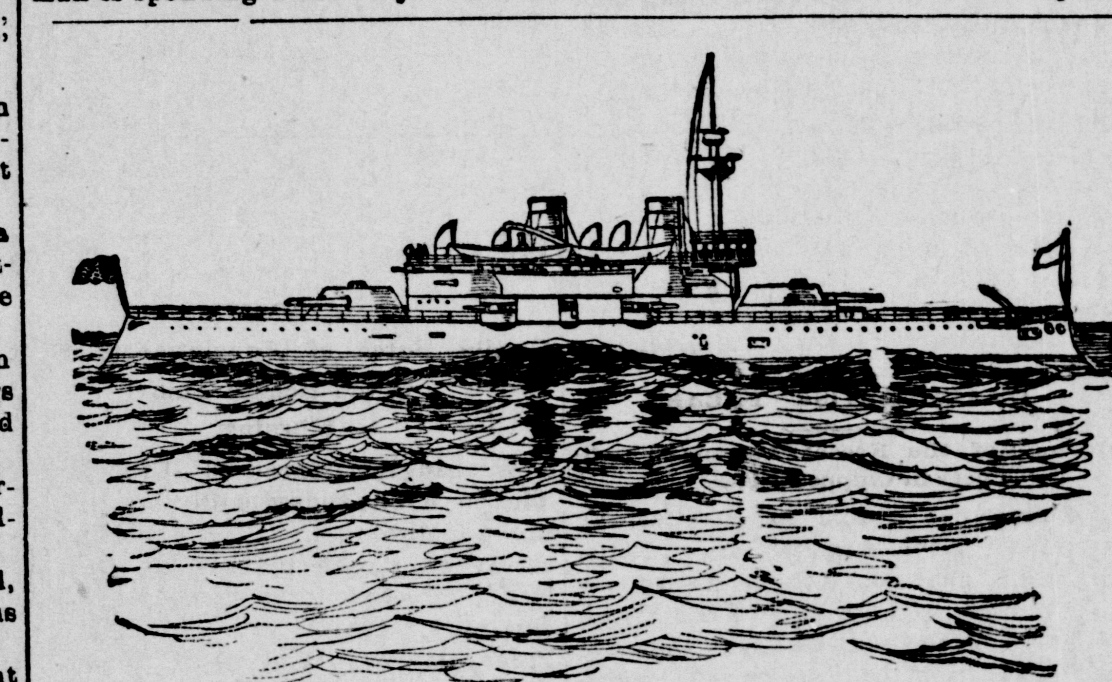
DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

while Lex Jones brought down the house in a comic song. Mrs. M. P. Rankin, of Lodi, is visiting friends here, as is also Mrs. Julia Fuller, of Edgerton. Charley Spike has given up the barber business here, as three shops in town could not prosper. His barber has gone to work for Williams. We are sorry for Mr. Spike, as he seemed to be a gentleman who would make friends.

## Lima Center

Lima Center, March 22—Mrs. Franklin Gould, received notice a short time since of the death of her uncle, Isaiah Wood, of Carthage, Jefferson Co., N. Y., who had lived to the ripe old age of 104 years. For about a year Mr. Wood had been confined to his room, but previous to that time he had been able to walk about the streets of the city. He retained his mental faculties and memory to a remarkable degree. He had been a member of the Congregational church for many years, and went to his home like a shock of ripened grain, that only wanted the reaper's sickle to take him home to the mansions of eternal rest. After months of suffering with consumption little Paul, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Truman, died Friday morning. The funeral was held at the house at 2 p. m. Sunday, conducted by Rev. L. L. Thayer. Mr. and Mrs. Will Reed and Fred Truman, of Janesville, came out Saturday evening to attend the funeral of their nephew. Mrs. Chapman is spending a few days in Janesville with her daughter. Miss Edna Paynter runs the postoffice in her absence. Gerry Barker, of Millard, visited his cousin, Carrie Johnson, last Wednesday. Mrs. Mina Douglass and son, of Whitewater, visited her sister, Mrs. Stetson, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. D. Harris have a 12 pound boy, born March 14. The party at the hall on Friday night was well attended, despite the bad weather. Mr. and Mrs. Van Horn and daughter came from Heart Prairie Friday, and visited with friends a day or two. Mrs. Bowers is able to be around the house again.



THE BATTLESHIP OREGON.

The Oregon is 848 feet long and has a displacement of 10,288 tons. She cost \$3,180,000 and steams 15 knots an hour. Her crew consists of 424 men. Four 18 inch, eight 8 inch, four 6 inch and 30 smaller guns compose her armament.

Porter News Notes.

Porter, Wis., March 21—John Bates is building a new house on the old homestead. N. A. Pound and family visited relatives in Burroak on Sunday. Orr's Fessenden is to work part of the Bates farm this year and occupy the house formerly occupied by John Bates' family. Bert Montgomery and family have come to Wisconsin to live again after spending the past year in Iowa and Minnesota. W. S. Dooley was here last week, crying auctions. Farmers are making some preparations for the spring work, owing to the mild weather. After an illness of about two months, Joseph Branks, passed to his eternal reward on last Friday. The deceased was a good christian man who possessed many friends, and his death just in the prime of manhood is indeed a sad blow to his wife and children. The funeral will take place Sunday, and after the services in St. Patrick's church, the remains were laid to rest in Mount Olivet.

## Shopiere

Shopiere, March 22—Some farmers commenced plowing Wednesday last, but the heavy rain the last of the week made the ground too soft to do much. Miss Rider, of Milton Junction, spent a few days at Mrs. John Weirick's. Miss Lottie Murray was there at the same time. Our school teacher took in the carnival at Clinton, on Thursday evening with others from this place. Mrs. Excell, of Chicago, is visiting this place. Joseph Weirick moved to Beloit Tuesday, and is working in the Eclipse factory. H. B. Walker and wife, of Janesville, visited this place for a few days. Miss Nellie Holmes, of Janesville, is visiting Miss Ida Sweet. Frank Steadell and wife were in town Saturday from Janesville. Frank Allyn and Ray Monley went to Rockford to work last week. Fonda Burk has bought the barber tools of Sam Earl and made some improvements in the shop. Can be found there at all hours. Give him a call. Our La Prairie townsmen, J. Shimeall who has been visiting his father this winter, will devote his time this summer in raising tobacco and handling horses at his La Prairie farm. Lumber for sale cheap at Tiffany.

## Johnstown Center.

Johnstown Center, March 22—On last Wednesday at 2 o'clock James Waters, of this place, and Miss Mattie West, of the prairie, were married, in the presence of a few friends and relatives. They will make their home at the Centre. Charles Stoller and wife spent Saturday at Richmond. Mrs. Hannah Waters is slowly improving. Walter Pember and wife were in Janesville Thursday. The Centre people did not celebrate St. Patrick's day.

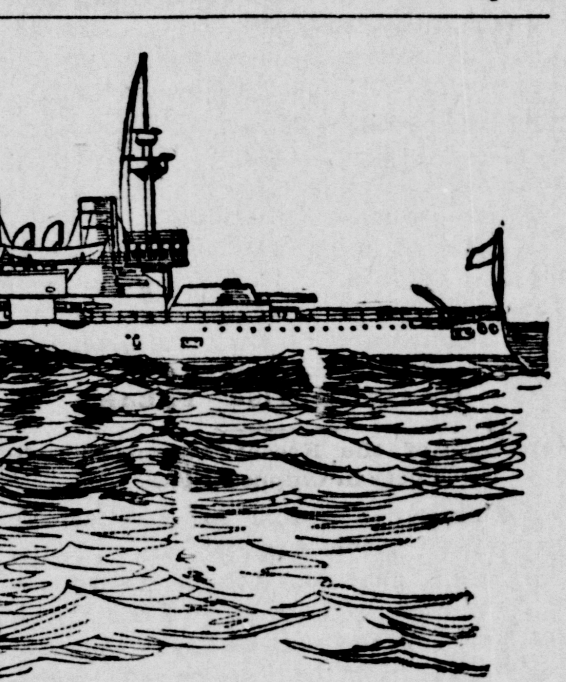
Mrs. Mary Mcowan closed her winter term of school Friday. Mrs. B. T. Pember is visiting her son, Dr. Frank Pember, of Janesville. The spring term of school will begin Monday, March 28, with Miss Emma Wood, as teacher. Mrs. George Walker, is on the sick list, but is slowly improving. Mrs. Herman Johns is on the sick list. A party of goose hunters are making Johnstown Centre their headquarters.

## Magnolia Gossip.

The German preacher from Evansville spoke in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Miss Helen Dillbree will start for Iowa next Thursday where she expects to spend the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Meggie Dillbree. Walter Thompson had the misfortune while blasting out some trees last Saturday to get his face quite badly cut in several places. Wilson Brown seems to grow weaker with chills and fever every other day. Quarterly meeting will be held in the Methodist church the first Sunday in April. Let us turn out and fill the house on that occasion. Mary Acheson is yet in Albany.

## North Johnstown.

North Johnstown, March 22—Harry Myers, of Hillsdale, Mich., is spending a few days at the parsonage. Grandma Tucker returned Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Fort Atkinson. The Ladies' Aid society will



THE BATTLESHIP OREGON.

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hold a maple sugar social at the parsonage Wednesday evening. Preparations are being made to hold a medal contest at Uter's Corners Sat day evening, April 2. Miss Ida Campbell will close the winter term of school in district No. 4 Friday. Luther Smith, of Whitewater, was at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Bishop, Sunday. The spring birds have come, the farmers are plowing, and indications now look to an early sowing of crops. Orlando Teetsborn and wife, who have been living in Whitewater for two years past, have moved back to the farm. Miss Belle Hadley spent Monday with Mrs. Myra Gray.

## Barkers' Corners.

Barkers' Corners, March 22—The Ladies' Aid society meet with Mrs. Georgie Cross next week on Thursday. There were no services in the United Brethren church Sunday. Elder Thayer was called on to preach a funeral sermon at Lima. William Hodge is having a well dug. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Aeson Pope, March 16—a girl. Farmers in this vicinity have commenced plowing sod. The spring is at hand, and with it comes agents of all kinds, house cleaning, and very mild looking husbands.

## Rock River.

Rock River, March 22—Elder D. K. Davies, of Milton, preached here last Sabbath. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swader have moved on the Grandall place. Miss Myrtle Maxwell will spend the week in Janesville. Elbert Maryott visited his wife at Madison, recently. Orrie Bowers, of Aurelia, Iowa, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Stenest Pierce, Sunday and Monday.

## Take It In Time.

Decay is natural, but it is often hastened by overtaxing the powers, by excesses, and by various violations of Nature's laws. The blood and nerves become affected and body and mind suffer extreme affliction. It has been, and is, by curing such cases as these that Dr. Greene, 148 State St., Chicago, Ill., the eminent specialist, has won his fame, which is world wide. Dr. Greene's treatment and remedies never fail. You can consult Dr. Greene personally, or by letter, free. If you need a physician, see Dr. Greene or write him today. It will cost you nothing. He has developed the most perfect and wonderfully successful treatment through correspondence. He can cure you.

## CELEBRATED HER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Fannie Hodgdon Held a Party on Her 84th Anniversary.

Mrs. Fannie Hodgdon, of this city, celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday yesterday at the Terrace, the home of her son, Warren Hodgdon. All the surviving members of the family sat down to dinner together for the first time in many years. Mrs. Hodgdon, despite her advanced age, is hale and hearty and looks as young as a woman of 60. She has resided in Janesville for quite a number of years. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Lavis, of Juneau.

Heinz's India relish never sold for less than 35c per bottle; we are selling it now at 25c per bottle. Sanborn.

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Five hundred dance or masquerade invitations with envelopes \$3 at Gazette Job Rooms.

We keep the best make of plows and harrows on earth; don't buy until you see them. Heller & Newton, Park street.

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RIVERSIDE Hotel—On May the first the holder of the most coupons will get a gold watch free. Anybody spending a nickel at the bar will get a coupon.

Now is the time to oil your harness. Pure neatfoot oil 75 cents per gallon at W. H. Hall's harness store, corner Main and Court streets. Large stock.

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## STUDENTS ARE PATRIOTIC

Albion Academy Boys' Resent the Recent Spanish Indignities.

Albion citizens who were in town on legal business today report that patriotism is running high in their town. One day last week the Academy students and some town boys burned Weyler in effigy and pierced the burning body of the Spaniard with numerous bullets. Now there is strong talk of forming a military company.

## JANESVILLE NEWS IN BRIEF.

WAVERLY wheels at Lowell's. PHOENIX wheels at Lowell's. STERLING wheels at Lowell's. FETHERSTONE wheels at Lowell's.

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## NEWS FROM THE MORNING PAPERS

## WANTS ALL TO BE PRESENT.

It is Believed That No Matter What the Outcome of the Maine Investigation May Be Cuba Will Be Recognized—Spain Will Resist.

Washington, March 22.—Notice has been quietly served on members of congress to be at their places this week in readiness for important action regarding Cuba. This notice has been given from the white house through General Grosvenor.

No explanations are made, but the general has given the tip to as many members of the house as he could see, with the intimation that the president would like to have congress ready to act with the same unanimity that it acted two weeks ago on the national defense bill.

What action is to be suggested General Grosvenor professes not to know. It is supposed that Speaker Reed, Chairman Dingley, and Chairman Hitt do know, since they had a conference with the president Monday. There is much quiet speculation as to what action is to be proposed.

It is possible that the report on the Maine disaster may be sent in without any recommendation, and if it is not shown that Spain had guilty knowledge of that act no indemnity may be demanded. This would, however, be only preliminary to the settlement of the Cuban question by the recognition of Cuban independence and intervention by force to make that independence substantial.

The power to recognize independence is generally claimed to be an executive act; the power to intervene with force a legislative act, because it is a declaration of war. These two acts might follow immediately the report on the Maine disaster. With that report showing that our battleship had been blown up in a friendly harbor and Spain denying all responsibility for the act, it is suggested that this government pass it over without other declaration than that Spain could no longer be trusted with the responsibility of controlling that harbor. As a settlement of the Maine incident this would never be accepted, standing alone, but with the understanding that the price should be freedom of Cuba congress would, it is said, go with the president.

It would be only introductory to the Cuban question. This government could afford to forego any demand for indemnity of a bankrupt nation when it proposed to drive that bankrupt nation off the Western hemisphere and set free her last American colony. This plan would involve the president's recognizing at once the independence of Cuba, and then presenting the Monroe doctrine as a justification for intervention by force to drive Spain out of the island, for the fact of our recognition of independence makes applicable the Monroe doctrine.

## INQUIRY IS OVER.

Admiral Sicard Given the Papers in the Maine Case.

Key West, Fla., March 22.—Lieutenant Commander Marix, judge advocate of the court of inquiry, came ashore in the torpedo boat Dupont from the battle ship Iowa Monday afternoon, accompanied by Marine Orderly Densmore, bearing a heavy package, which was contained in a canvas case.

Lieutenant Marix and the orderly went direct to the Key West Hotel, and for three hours were closeted with Admiral Sicard and Commander West, chief of staff, the orderly keeping guard at the door. When the conference broke up at 5 o'clock no member of it would give the slightest hint as to what had been done in that secret session. It is believed that it was held for the purpose of allowing the admiral to look over the report and conclusions of the court.

Washington, March 22.—If it be true that the complete and final report of the Maine board is to be brought to Washington by Commander Marix it is believed that the documents in the possession of Lieutenant Barker constitute a preliminary report of the board's findings for the use of the President in advance of the receipt of the full report.

If sent by ordinary methods of communication it will take the full report sixty hours to reach Washington from Key West. If sent from Key West to Tampa by a torpedo boat and thence by ordinary train it will require fifty hours. If ordinary methods are used, however, the report cannot leave Key West until Wednesday night, when the next regular steamer leaves.

## TO APPEAL TO EUROPE.

Attitude of Spain's Ministry—Will Ask a Neutral Court of Inquiry.

Madrid, March 22.—It is asserted that the Spanish government will refuse to accept any finding of the Maine commission which may suggest Spanish responsibility. What is more, this intention is known to the United States government.

The Spanish ministerial view is that the imputation which such a finding would have if admitted would forever be an irremovable blemish upon Spain's reputation as a civilized country which she could not possibly bear.

If the report of the committee throws blame upon Spain which would carry with it a call for indemnity the peninsular government will forthwith make an appeal to the combined European

powers on the plea of equity of common fairness to intervene in favor of Spain against what every Spaniard would esteem as the most momentous and iniquitous findings.

It is hoped that under such circumstances the United States will agree to the appointment of a neutral court of naval constructors, who could carry out their work with perfectly unbiased minds, a condition almost impossible to officers of the United States, who would naturally seek to exonerate their service from all fault or blame, and who, without doubt, look upon Spain as an enemy.

It may be stated, however, that the ministry still clings to the thought that the commission cannot possibly return a verdict other than one that the explosion was accidental.

## WARSHIPS GATHERING.

Gradual Tightening of the Cordon Around the Island of Cuba.

Washington, March 22.—A tightening of the cordon around Cuba is going on. Three United States warships from the South Atlantic station arrived Monday at Port Antonio, on the north coast of Jamaica, which is the nearest point to the southeastern end of Cuba. These warships are the cruisers Cincinnati and the gunboats Wilmington and Castine. They are now in a position to shut off all supplies for the Spanish forces which may be sent to the southern coast of Cuba. They will be able to effectively blockade that portion of the island. Another object in sending these ships to this station is to intercept the Spanish torpedo flotilla which left Cadiz last week. In the event of hostilities breaking out before the Dons' ships arrive their progress would be checked by the American vessels.

## VIEWS BEGIN TO DIFFER.

President and Legislators Not Entirely in Unison in Regard to Cuba.

Washington, March 22.—For the first time since the Cuban question became acute there is danger of a decided difference of opinion and possibly of action between the executive and congress.

The president wants to go slowly and congress wants to go rapidly. The president leans to the idea that it will be best to attempt first to secure settlement of the Maine disaster, and then to take up the general Cuban question, while congress, fearful of long and vexatious delays, is for going at the solution of the whole problem at once. The probabilities are that the president will have his way about it, and that action by congress which might interfere with his plans will be averted.

## Hale Says War Seems Sure.

Washington, March 22.—Senator Hale, who is recognized as the most pro-Spanish member of the senate, said Monday that the country was on the very verge of war, and that he feared nothing could prevent hostilities. "The speech of Senator Proctor," he said, "appears to have wrought such an impression on the public mind that the president feels unable to withstand the demand for action."

## Spain Actively Preparing for War.

Madrid, March 22.—Despite the admitted conviction of all except the ignorant that war with the United States would certainly result in the loss not only of Cuba, but also of Porto Rico and the Philippine islands, there is no wavering in the determination to fight rather than to sell or surrender. War preparations are being pushed vigorously.

## Is Hurrying to Washington.

Madrid, March 22.—The first secretary of the United States legation, Mr. MacArthur, left for Washington Monday. It is understood that matters have reached a crisis here, and that he bears important documents to the American government, demonstrating the necessity for choosing immediately between autonomy and war.

## Spanish Republicans Oppose War.

Madrid, March 22.—Spanish republicans, in a great mass meeting, passed a resolution asking the government to make every possible sacrifice in order to pacify Cuba. The republican party considers that the prolongation of the war means ruin and devastation on both sides.

## Troops to Be Moved to the Coast.

Washington, March 22.—Orders have already been prepared for transmission from the headquarters in Washington of the major general commanding the army, providing for the movement of all infantry and cavalry troops of the country to stations on the Atlantic and gulf coasts.

## Premier Sagasta Is Ailing.

London, March 22.—A dispatch to the Central News from Madrid says that Prime Minister Sagasta is slightly indisposed. The dispatch adds that a rumor that the king is ill is officially and emphatically contradicted.

## Orders Provisions for Navy.

New York, March 22.—The navy department has made emergency contracts with local firms for 1,000 half barrels of pork and 1,000 half barrels of salt beef.

KARL'S GLOVER Root Tea for constipation. It's the best, and if after using it you don't see a return the package and get your money. For sale by People's Drug Co.

## IOWA LEGISLATURE.

The Fight on the Board of Control Bill Opens in the House.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 22.—The house took up the board of control bill Monday. The committee which reported it reported an amendment placing the educational institutions of the state under the management of the board. This amendment will not be passed, it is thought. The house expects to finish consideration of the bill this week.

In the senate a number of bills were passed, among them the following: Reducing from 33 1-3 to 25 per cent the petition for vote upon the proposition for free text books in the public schools. Providing that a corporation may dissolve itself by a vote of the stockholders holding three-fourths of the capital, instead of requiring a unanimous vote. Increasing the number of judges from two to three in the 18th judicial district. This bill is now a law.

The house after disposing of the board of control bill will take up a motion to reconsider its action in defeating the Woodbury bill to place private banks under supervision of the state.

## Dreadfully Nervous.

GENTS:—I was dreadfully nervous, and for relief took your Karl's Glover Root Tea. It quieted my nerves and strengthened my nervous system. I was troubled with constipation, kidney and bowel trouble. Your tea soon cleansed my system so thoroughly that I rapidly regained health and strength. Mrs. S. A. Sweet, Hartford, Conn. Sold by People's Drug Co.

## Representation for the Laity.

Chester, Pa., March 22.—The Philadelphia Methodist Episcopal conference took a vote on the Rock River resolution, providing that the laity shall have equal representation with the clergy in the general conference. The resolution was adopted by a vote of 159 to 66.

## Robert Reitzel Near Death.

Detroit, March 22.—Robert Reitzel, the noted German anarchistic writer and editor of the Arme Teufel, is dying at his home in this city.

## Expect a General Strike.

St. Louis, Mo., March 22.—There is a general belief that May will see a strike of all organized labor in St. Louis for an eight-hour day and ten hours' pay. The bricklayers not only of this city but all over the country will demand an eight-hour law on May 1, and it is also said that the pressmen and machinists will follow. It is the general impression here that the strike will spread to every city in the union.

## Glass Workers Are at Odds.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 22.—The trouble among the window-glass workers in the Indiana gas belt has now assumed such proportions that it looks as if a general strike might result. H. Sellers McKee, chairman of the wage committee of the American Window Glass company, which controls over forty factories, has called a meeting of the committee for Wednesday to avert the strike if possible.

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Many people suffer from piles because after trying the many lotions, salves and ointments without relief or cure, have come to the conclusion that a surgical operation is the only thing left to try and rather than submit to the shock and risk to life of an operation prefer to suffer on. Fortunately this is no longer necessary, the Pyramid Pile Cure, a new preparation cures every form of piles, without pain, inconvenience, or detention from business. It is in the form of suppositories, easily applied, absolutely free from opium, cocaine, or any injurious substance, whatever, and no matter how severe the pain, gives instant relief, not by deadening the nerves of the parts but rather by its healing, soothing effect upon the congested membranes.

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A person takes serious chances in neglecting a simple case of piles, as the trouble soon becomes deep seated and chronic, and very frequently develops into fatal incurable rectal diseases, like fistula and rectal ulcers.

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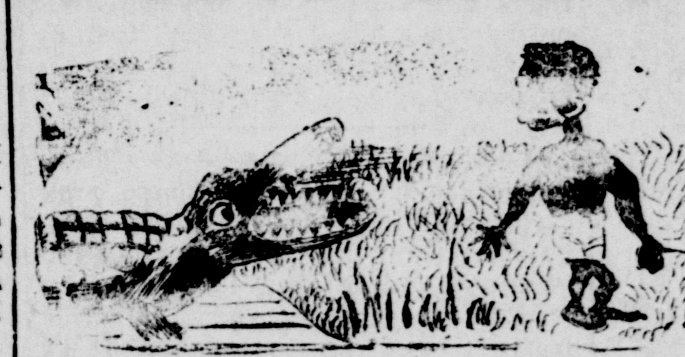
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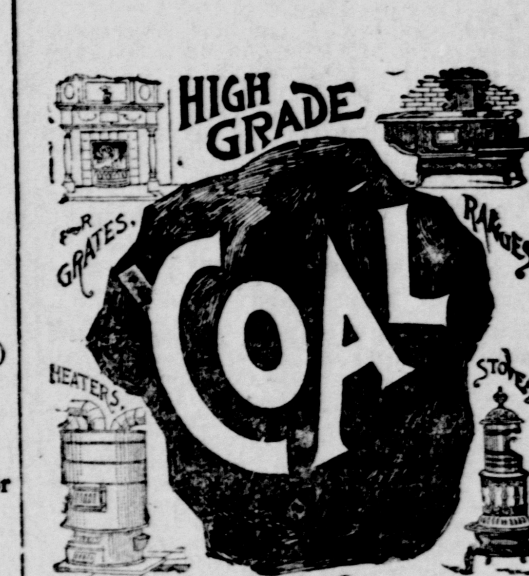
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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1664—Cession of New Netherlands to the Duke of York by Charles II of England.  
1820—Duel at Bladensburg, Md., between Commodore Barron and Decatur; both wounded, the latter mortally. Decatur was avowed to dueling, but consented to satisfy his antagonist, declaring that he would aim at Barron's hip. His shot took effect there. Barron's ball passed through Decatur's body, and he died that night.  
1822—Rosa Bonheur, artist, born in Paris.  
1829—Goethe, the poet, died at Weimar; born at Frankfurt-am-Main 1749.  
1862—Dr. David Hayes Agnew, noted surgeon and emeritus professor at the University of Pennsylvania, died.  
1896—Lady Isabel Burton, widow of Captain Sir Richard Burton, died in London. Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown's School Days," died at Brighton, England; born 1824.

## REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION

The republican City Convention will be held at the Council Chamber in the City of Janesville on Friday, March 26th, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election, and to elect a City Committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following officers:  
City Treasurer.  
City Attorney.  
Street Commissioner.  
School Commissioner at Large.  
Justice of the Peace.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Thursday, March 24th, 1898, and elect delegates to said convention, as follows:  
First ward. Ten (10).  
Second ward. Six (6).  
Third ward. Ten (10).  
Fourth ward. Eight (8).  
Fifth ward. Four (4).  
Dated March 12, 1898.

W. W. PORTER,  
Chairman.

## WARD CAUCUSES

## First Ward

The First ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the West Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 24th, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

## BY ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

## Second Ward

The Second ward republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect six (6) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 24th, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

## BY ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

## Third Ward Caucus

The Third ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect ten (10) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Court House in this city on Thursday, March 24, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

## BY ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

## Fourth Ward Caucus

The Fourth ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner, and a Constable, and to elect eight (8) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Council Chamber in this city, on Thursday, March 24, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

## BY ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

## Fifth Ward Caucus

The Fifth ward Republican caucus for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, and a Constable, and to elect four (4) delegates to the City Convention, to be held for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at the ensuing City election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the Fifth ward polling booth, in this city, on Thursday, March 24, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

## BY ORDER OF WARD COMMITTEE.

## CAPTAIN SIGSBEE AN ARTIST

In 1875 an unknown man left a package of drawings at the New York Graphic office for inspection. They were found to be unusually good, and were published in a prominent place. They were signed "S." The next day was a general shoving about at work desks to make room for Mr. Sigbee. But Mr. Sigbee did not materialize, nor did the supply or his wonderfully funny drawings continue.

It had become known that the art editor had duly notified Mr. Sigbee that his sketches were accepted and that he would be given a place upon the art staff at once. Would Mr. Sigbee please be on hand upon Monday morning? But the week rolled by and there was no Mr. Sigbee. The art editor was unpeppably astonished. He then wrote still more urgently to the coy but desirable artist, and this time he got an answer. Lieutenant Commander Charles D. Sigbee, U. S. N. sends his compliments and begs to say that as he is at present in command of the government ship he cannot accept the position so kindly offered."

## WITH THE STATE PRESS.

Green Bay Gazette—The Janesville Gazette thinks that up to date the dogs of war have been of the yellow variety. They should be called yellow dogs instead of yellow kids in that case.

Madison Journal—Col. Bird, whom his sympathetic townsmen followed, as they supposed, to the South to build up his health, is in Washington, where he reports that "the free silver sentiment in Wisconsin is growing." We are not sure whether it's real or a keeper that the colonel needs.

Milwaukee Sentinel—The Chicago Chronicle is manufacturing a quality of war news from Washington which ought to give the paper a large circulation among Gen. Weyler's friends in Spain.

Milwaukee Sentinel—The belief that

states make frequent mistakes by frequent change of representatives in congress appears to find most enthusiastic endorsement in Washington.

La Crosse Chronicle, gold democratic—Alleged democratic conventions now-a-days concern themselves chiefly about populistic votes.

Madison Journal—Congressman Cooper's ability and character are still unimpaired. It's his failure to make one cut of postoffice pie fill ten months that chafes Editor Starbuck.

Milwaukee Journal—The administration of the city is a business enterprise. And since the parties are so nicely agreed on the city policy, the voter will select his man as he would choose were they to be his trusted agents to manage his most important affairs, or to administer his estate and save it for his family. On this basis he will doubtless choose. In this way the city may secure the best service offered in all the combinations seeking the suffrage.

The Superior Evening Telegram remarks that it may be necessary for Uncle Sam to punish Spain "reluctantly, as one would kick an over-insolent cripple."

Spain cannot be impressed by the fact that the United States can assemble more than a score of battleships at Key West—the greatest exhibition of naval strength since the civil war.

Uncle Sam, according to four dispatches has bought another warship—the Carlo Alberto, owned by Italy.

Strange, isn't it, that Governor Leedy's opinion does not carry more weight than the decision of the supreme court of the United States.

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FOR SALE—A few shares of the stock of the Janesville Machine company; several farm mortgages; a mortgage on business property. Whitehead & Matheson, Jackson Block.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County court for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D., 1898, being Sept. 6th, 1898, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted:

All claims against Hugh Cranny, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of August, A. D., 1898, or be barred.—Dated Feb. 15, 1898.

By the court,  
J. W. SALE,  
County Judge.

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## A RISING FAMILY.

They Live In a House Whose Four Corner Posts Are Growing Spruce Trees.

Bangor, Me., has an eight cornered house, a house shaped like a piece of pie, a house with no front door and a half house, one side having been burned off. But the queerest dwelling in all Maine is in the town of Dennysville, Washington county. It was built about six years ago by a poor man, who was obliged to go to the edge of the woods, where land was cheap, for his lot and utilized the trunks of four big spruce trees, that formed a square of 16 feet, for the corner posts.

Pretty soon the poor man went west to make his fortune, leaving his family behind in the queer house. In five years he returned as poor as when he left. He found that in the meanwhile his family had risen in the world. The four live corner posts had just grown up about four feet and carried the house with them. It is a good, solid house, but unless the trees stop growing the man will soon need a fire escape ladder instead of the plank steps that now lead up to the door.—New York Sun.

## Speaker Reed's Ink Tray.

Before the house assembles each day there is placed on the speaker's desk a box shaped tray of solid silver. Promptly after the house adjourns it is taken back to the speaker's room. It contains three small bottles—one for red ink, one for black ink and one for sand, such as was used in early days for drying ink, before the time of blotting paper. The ink tray is part of the furniture of the speaker's room and has more than ordinary interest, for it was used by Henry Clay when he occupied the speaker's chair.—Washington Post.

## Insane From Riding an Avalanche.

Joe Bradley, the unfortunate prospector who rode an avalanche down Pike's peak on Dec. 20, was arrested at Florence as an escaped lunatic and returned to the Pueblo asylum the other evening. The exposure undergone by Bradley, who was unconscious for several hours, and whose members were badly frozen, caused his mind to give way, and he was admitted to the insane asylum soon after his terrible experience on the peak.—Trinidad Republican.



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FOR ROCK COUNTY, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 3rd Tuesday, being the 15th day of March, 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Alice Collingworth to admit to probate the last will and testament of Abraham Cauffman, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

Dated Feb. 15th, 1898.

By the Court,  
J. W. SALE,  
County Judge.

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## RAILWAY COMPANY WANT NORTH ST. TO VIADUCT GALENA STREET IN EXCHANGE.

Matter Was Brought Before the Council Meeting Last Evening—Nothing Definite Has Yet Been Done—A Change Likely in Third and Second Ward Boundary Lines.

The Chicago and North Western railroad company would like to get possession of the North street crossing. In return they promise to build across Galena street an iron and wood viaduct to cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$3,000.

At the regular meeting of the common council last evening this matter was referred to the aldermen present who seemed in favor of granting the company the street with the single exception of Alderman Stoddard. There the matter was allowed to rest.

### A Dangerous Crossing

Alderman J. B. McLean, who has been personally circulating a petition among the property owners on North street, in behalf of the railroad company, informed the council that the North street crossing in the Fifth ward was the most dangerous crossing in the city. There are many times when it is impossible for the company to keep it open. The street was right in the center of the yards. The railroad officials could not put a viaduct over North street, owing to the grade, but they agreed to put in a viaduct on Galena street, if North street was vacated.

Alderman Stoddard thought it would be no benefit, and not the proper thing to do. He was opposed to vacating any streets.

Alderman Kothman said the North street crossing was a very dangerous one.

Alderman Millmore said property in that vicinity would be worth 20 per cent. more with a viaduct at Galena street.

Alderman McLean said that in 1864 all of that property was vacated by an act of the legislature. Where the city gives up one street it gains another, as Galena street had been closed.

Mayor Thoroughgood said there had been more complaints to him about North street crossing than all the other streets of the town combined.

City Attorney McElroy told the council it was simply the exchange of a dangerous grade crossing for one overhead. North street, however, would not be vacated until the railway company had built the viaduct.

### Proceedings in Detail.

Mayor Thoroughgood presided at the meeting, and all the aldermen were present except Aldermen Fifield, Kothman and McKee.

The clerk stated that notice for a claim for personal damage for alleged injuries had been filed by Miss Kate Stringer.

A communication from Clerk John Cunningham, of the board of education, to the effect that the new addition to the Adams school building is now completed, and that the board needed \$2,500, was read. The matter was referred to the committee on schools.

The application of Christians Crall for a building permit was granted.

Alderman McLean, from the judiciary committee, presented the call for the spring election.

Alderman Stoddard said there was a great deal of complaint about the oil lamps.

Mayor Thoroughgood was of the opinion that some of the lamps needed attending to, and the clerk should notify the company of the condition.

By Alderman Burnham—Orders for the buildings of new sidewalks on Prairie avenue. Adopted.

By Alderman Gilkey—An order for a new sidewalk on Sinclair street. Adopted.

Alderman Burnham introduced an ordinance to change the boundaries of the Second and Third wards. It provides that all that part of the city lying east of the center line of Rock river and north of the center line of East Milwaukee street and Milwaukee avenue, shall be known as and constitute the Second ward, and all that part lying east and south of the center line of Rock river and of the center section line of section 1, in town 2, north of range 12, east and south of the center line of East Milwaukee street and Milwaukee avenue, shall constitute the Third ward. Ordered published and made a special order for April 18.

## CURED OF THE GOLD FEVER

Dennis Morrissey Did Not Reach Alaska, But Has Had Enough

Dennis Morrissey, who left Janesville some time ago for the Klondike, has returned home and will remain for all time to come. He got as far as Seattle, Wash., where he found that no more than one man in a thousand made money in the diggings. Mr. Morrissey did not propose to take such long chances on winning a fortune, and therefore came back. He says he has been completely cured of the gold fever, and will be satisfied to stay in Janesville for the remainder of his days.

## DISASTROUS RUNAWAY

Woman and Boy Seriously Hurt at Beloit Today

Beloit, Wis., March 22.—[Special]—The team of Ed Fallon, of Roscoe, ran away this afternoon. The wagon passed over Mrs. Fallon's face, badly injuring her. Their boy was also hurt.

## NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

FRESH caught trout in today at Sanborn's.

FANCY new dates 5c per pound at Sanborn's.

FANCY onions two bunches for 5c at Sanborn's.

Two large bunches of red radishes for 5c at Sanborn's.

Good oranges plenty of them 8 cents dozen at Sanborn's.

ROYAL Neighbors will meet Thursday afternoon at their hall.

VERY choice southern strawberries only 20 cents a pint at Sanborn's.

HANANAS still go at 10 cents a dozen. All you want at Sanborn's.

ALL parlor furniture at absolute cost during the March sale at Ashcraft's.

MISS BELLINGHAUSEN is in the city to complete her selections of spring stock.

YOUR choice of any couch in the store at cost price this month. Ashcraft.

Do not pay any one more than we ask for corsets this week. See Bort, Bailey & Co's ad.

THERE will be a meeting of the board of directors at the U. C. L. tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

SPLENDID chance to buy your spring corset during our special corset sale this week. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

A REGULAR meeting of Janesville chapter No. 69, O. E. S., will be held Wednesday evening in Masonic hall at 7 o'clock.

GREAT week for planting seeds in your garden this will be. Landreth's will bring you the best returns of any. Sanborn.

MISS LEONE SMITH, who has been a guest of Mrs. A. J. Luce, of the Waverley flats has returned to her home in Rockford.

IRON beds never sold so cheaply as Ashcraft offers them this month. Splendid white enamel brass trundle beds at \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

WE are anxious to introduce our numerous line of corsets to you this week and therefore offer them at greatly reduced prices. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THERE is a smack in Heinz's India relish that reminds you of green things in springtime. Regular 35 cent bottles we are selling at 25 cents. Sanborn.

### Next week ends the special March

furniture sale at Ashcraft's. If you are short on anything for the house, wake up to advantages offered in the low prices.

THE remains of the late Martin F. Dunn will arrive in the city tomorrow evening from Texas. Services will be held from St. Patrick's church Thursday morning.

THE Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational Sunday school, will hold an art exhibit in the Sunday school room Monday afternoon and evening, of next week.

Mrs. A. N. HASKELL and family are thankful to all those who were so kind during her long and tedious sickness. She is able now to begin her dressmaking again.

Don't forget when you want apples for either eating or cooking, we have the finest stock in the city. Our big cold storage has kept the fruit in the best of shape. Sanborn & Co.

JAMES CLEMENT AMBROSIO, of Evanston Ill., lectured at the Y. M. C. A. last evening, taking for his subject "The Fool in Politics." In spite of the inclement weather 250 people greeted the speaker.

MISS EVA SHOUTZ, who will speak Tuesday evening under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U. at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium for the Frances E. Willard memorial fund, comes highly recommended, and all should take advantage of the opportunity to hear her lecture free.

A CUSTOMER of ours said to us the other day: "I had heard so much about Janesville coffee and had seen so much of it sold, that I thought I would try it. We never have used anything but 35 cent coffee in our house, but at present I wouldn't pay the difference between the 35 cent and Janesville. We sell on an average 500 pounds a week of Janesville, the greatest 10c coffee on the market. Sanborn & Co.

## DIED OF HEART TROUBLE.

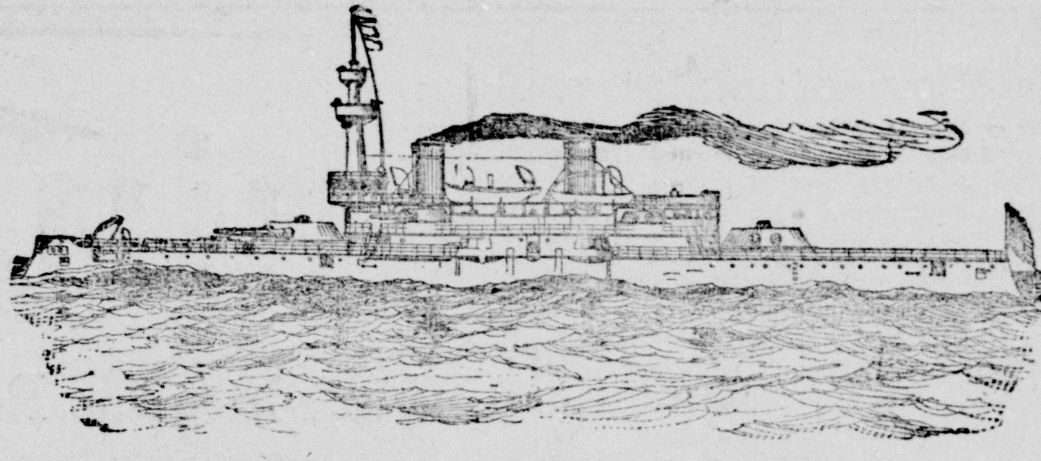
Mother-in-Law of Alderman McLean Passes Away in Chicago.

A telegram received in this city last evening by Alderman J. B. McLean announced the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Wyatt, whose demise took place in Chicago. Deceased had been ill with heart trouble.

Mrs. McLean was with her mother when she passed away. Notice of funeral later.

### A Curious Accident.

While a party of men engaged in a fox drive in the northern part of Shelby county the other day were crossing the farm of W. H. Boyer they frightened a herd of his horses. One of them ran into the top of a tree that had been felled, and one of the dead limbs about two inches thick penetrated its breast. The stick entered between the breastbone and the shoulder joint and passed up between the ribs and the skin to within five inches of the hip joint. The stick then broke off at the horse's breast, leaving 33 inches inside the animal. A veterinary surgeon had to cut a gash of that length and about an inch deep before the stick could be removed. Cincinnati Enquirer.



SEAGOING BATTLESHIP INDIANA.

The Indiana has a displacement of 10,288 tons, cost \$3,020,000 and has a speed of 15.54 knots. She carries four 13 inch, eight 8 inch, four 6 inch guns and 30 smaller guns. Her mammoth 13 inch guns are mounted in turrets, two forward and two aft.

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.  
Wheat—Fair to best quality 95¢ @ \$1.00. Good to best Patent, \$1.25 to \$1.40 per bushel.  
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BUCKWHEAT—60¢ @ \$1.00. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25¢ for 10 lbs. sack. RYE—55¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. BARLEY—Ranges at 27¢ @ 35¢ according to quality.  
CORN—Shelled 75¢ @ 77.50 per ton. Ear 6.75¢ @ 7.00. OATS—white, 23¢ @ 24¢. CLOVER—HED—\$2.50 @ \$3.00 per bushel. TIMOTHY—HED—50¢ @ \$1.25 per bushel. HAY—65¢ per 100. SUGAR—Bottled 85¢ per 100. SUGAR—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. BEANS—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. PEAS—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. LENTILS—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. MASHES—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. POTATOES—50¢ @ 70¢ per 100 lbs. BRANS—75¢ @ \$1.00 per bushel. BUTTER—15¢ @ 17¢. EGGS—Scarcely, 15¢ @ 14¢ per dozen. POULTRY—Turkeys 10¢ @ 11¢. Chickens, 8¢ @ 9¢. WOOL—17¢ @ 20¢ for washed. Hides—Green 8¢ @ 7¢; dry, 10¢ @ 11¢. FELTS—Ranges at 30¢ @ 90¢ each. LIVE STOCK—Cattle 5.00 @ 5.50 per 100 lbs. Hogs, 5.00 @ 5.75 per 100.

## CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE.

Furnished by William C. Crollius broker and banker, stocks, grain and provisions, Lippin's Block, correspondence, Robert Lindblom & Co., Chicago.

### Market Quotations, March 22.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.55 1/2	1.07	1.05	1.06
July	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/4	85 1/2
Corn—				
May	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
July	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Oats—				
May	25 1/2	26 1/4	25 1/2	26 1/4
July	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Barley—				
May	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
July	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Flour—				
May	5 07	5 09	5 10	5 10
July	5 15	5 17	5 15	5 17
Feb.				
May	5 05	5 07	5 05	5 05
July	5 10	5 12	5 1	5 10

### A Big Thing.

Winebiddle—Wilkins has invented a telephone appliance which cannot fail to make his fortune.

Gildersleeve—What is it?  
Winebiddle—It is a device to enable two ladies to talk over the same wire at the same time.—Detroit Free Press.

### Likes Them in Writing.

Mertie—I don't like proposals by telephone.

Marie—Why?  
Mertie—You never have any witnesses in case he tries to back out.—Town Topics.

### True to Life.

Gavin—I could not expect my wife's photograph to be more near to perfection.

Bailey—Why not?  
Gavin—Her friends say it is a speaking likeness.—N. Y. Journal.

### At Midnight.

First Cat—Why so sad to-night, Thomas?

Second Cat—I feel so lonely and neglected! I've been weeping and waiting for an hour and nobody has thrown anything at me!—Puck.

### Saying and Meaning.

Fuddy—There's one thing about Dumleigh. He always says what he means.

Duddy—I know. But then there's no meaning in anything he says.—Boston Transcript.

### A Convert.

Fergus—Do you think there is anything in second sight?

Waldron—You bet I do. I'm one of the blamed fools who fell in love and got married at first sight.—Cleveland Leader.

### A Quietist.

"I have stopped Aunt Josephine's talk about modern feminine immodesty."

"How did you do it?"

"I showed her her own photograph, taken when she was a year old, sitting nude in a washbowl."—N. Y. Truth.

### Far-Sighted.

Willie—Can you afford to marry?

Arthur—I think so. I have a clergyman friend who will do it cheap.—Up-to-Date.

### This Is True.

Oh, should some power the gifle gie us To see ourselves as others see us.

"Would do no good, for, spite of blame, We'd chase our follies just the same."—Chicago Record.

### A Conversation.

"Josephine can fairly make a piano talk."

"Yes, and all the people who hear her play talk, too."—Chicago Record.

### Reason Enough.

Trivet—Why is not a donkey as intelligent as a horse?

Dicer—I suppose it is because he lacks horse sense.—Judge.

### WANTED—Agents either sex.

Wanted—Four or five rooms on the ground floor, suitable for housekeeping. Enquire at 113 Lincoln street.

## SAVED BY HIS WIFE.

Mrs. McKinley of Winchester Cuts a Bulldog's Throat to Protect Her Husband.

Dr. William McKinley of Winchester, Ky., and his wife drove into the country the other day to see a patient. Mrs. McKinley remained in the buggy, and the doctor started to go into the patient's house. Just before he reached the door a bulldog sprang at the doctor's throat.

The doctor grabbed the brute's muzzle with his right hand and his forelegs with his left and called his wife to his assistance. She belabored the dog with the buggy whip to no purpose, when the doctor told her to get his knife out of his pocket and cut the dog's throat.

She got the knife, but the excitement of fighting the dog and her husband's perilous position had made her so nervous that it was fully a minute before she could open it. The dog was struggling, and it was with difficulty that she could strike him with the knife. Finally she stabbed the brute just behind the jugular vein and, pulling the knife toward her, cut his throat from ear to ear. The dog gave a few convulsive struggles as the blood gushed from his neck in streams, and the doctor threw him from his head. He turned to look for his wife and found that she had fainted. He ran to the house, got some water and revived her.

Two years ago, while Mrs. McKinley was in her kitchen superintending breakfast, the doctor was caught in a folding bed, and his wife returned to the room just in time to save him from strangulation. Mrs. McKinley is about 35 years old, of petite figure and is not very strong.—New York World.

## BATTLE WITH A BULL.

Pasadena Citizen Had an Exciting Encounter With an Angry Jersey.

While Eugene Rischard of Pasadena, Cal., was leading a big Jersey bull to water the other day the animal became enraged, snapped the stick fastened to the ring in his nose and charged his master and downed him. Mr. Rischard leaped to his feet and ran into a narrow chicken coop, slamming the door behind him. There was no exit save through the door, and the bull stood guard. Finally Mr. Rischard ventured out. The bull promptly jumped at him, and this time the man was not quick enough to slam the door. The bull squeezed through the narrow opening into the chicken coop, which is about 3 by 10 feet.

It was an exciting moment. Mr. Rischard crouched in the corner of the coop, while the bull, bellowing and snorting, pressed his horns against the man's breast, goring and pinioning him. There was no escape, and Rischard closed his eyes and gave up. At that moment the bull raised his head to toss him. Rischard caught the bull's horns and, exerting all his strength, climbed over the bull's back and out to safety before the infuriated beast could back outward. Mr. Rischard will recover. The bull was shot, five bullets in the head being necessary.—San Francisco Examiner.

## FROM HARVARD STUDENTS.

The Cabinet Received Word That They Are Ready For War.

Harvard is ready for war. This news is official and exclusive. Only a handful of persons, each of whom is sworn to secrecy, have any idea of the active preparations now going on in the university for the defense of the country. F. M. Alger, son of Secretary Alger, is the man who is in entire charge of all the arrangements, and he is acting with such rare tact and effectual secrecy that his movements are almost absolutely covered up, and even the faculty of the college is absolutely in the dark as to what he intends to do.

The first intimation given to the war department concerning the defensive measures on foot in the university city was a telegraphic dispatch sent recently by young Alger to his father, in Washington, to the effect that there was a whole regiment of young students who were only waiting for a chance to get into the thick of things. This dispatch, which was read at a recent cabinet meeting, was the sensation of the day.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## BULLFROG IN HIS STOMACH.

Strange Discovery Made by an Operation on George Thresh.

For a year past George Thresh of Bridgeton, son of Fritz Thresh, has been suffering with terrible pains. The cause has been a mystery until within a few days, when a bullfrog was taken from his stomach.

The case puzzled the local physicians, and they sent him to a Philadelphia hospital for treatment. There the physicians told him a dangerous operation must be performed. He concluded not to risk it and went home, believing he had not long to live.

Recently, as the pains increased, he reconsidered his determination and went back to the hospital, where a successful operation was performed. In the stomach the surgeon found a large bullfrog. How it got there is an entire mystery to the young man.

## EGAN PLACED UNDER ARREST

He Is Held In Jail On a Very Serious Charge.

Michael Egan has been arrested on complaint of Catherine Egan, of this city, who says he is the father of her unborn child.

The defendant is a widower, six or five years of age, and is a resident of the Fourth ward. He stoutly maintains his innocence, and says the case is simply one of blackmail.

In the municipal court this morning the case was set for the morning of March 30, and the defendant was released on \$200 bail.

## INSPECTING THE ROAD.

Milwaukee & St. Paul Officials Are Making An Extended Tour.

R. B. Campbell, master builder; Otto Brendler, train dispatcher; E. N. Hastings, division superintendent, and F. W. Diebert, general master mechanic of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, were in the city last evening for a short time. They are on a tour of inspection of the bridges and side tracks of the system, and will be absent from Milwaukee for a week or more.

## HER SANITY QUESTIONED

Mrs. Swinson Examined in Judge Sale's Court Today

In County Judge J. W. Sale's court today the alleged insane case of Mrs. Gruchard Swinson was being heard. The jury is composed of the following: Sutton Norris, Adam Sanner, J. L. Bear, W. G. Palmer, George Hawthorn and George J. Davis.

Several witnesses were examined, while for the defence the defendant herself took the stand.

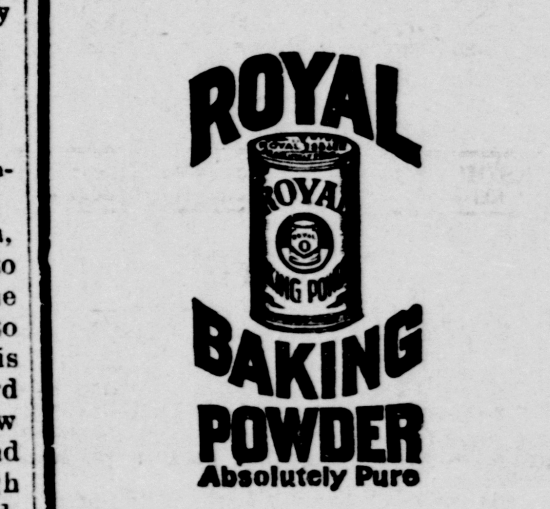
### He Was Tricky.

Sam Plumbottle—You say you saw Dusenbury?

Dave Pulsifer—Yes; I met him on an elevated station and shook hands with him.

Plumbottle—You did, eh? Well, whenever you shake hands with him, you had better count your fingers afterward.—Tammany Times.

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## LIVE FISH DELICACY.

BRAND NEW DISH IN SAN FRANCISCO'S CHINESE RESTAURANTS.

Is Brought In Swimming In a Tub—Then Sliced Along the Back and Sides and Vinegar Poured In Its Eyes—Served With a Thick Brown Sauce.

Some of the most select of the Chinatown rouders in San Francisco have been treated during the last few weeks to a brand new delicacy. According to their earnest opinion, it is a wonder and way ahead of the kindred delicacies of bird's nest soup, shark's fin, pickled li-chee nuts, preserved eggs and similar comfits.

It is understood, however, that this new delicacy, while strange to the white patrons, has been popular in China for a matter of 2,000 years or so. At any rate, the Chinese patrons of the amazing dish seem to know and reverence it, and to all intents and purposes it is hailed by them as the average American bows down to the subtle terrapin.

Simply described, the dish is no more or less than raw, live fish. Usually it appears to be some species resembling the salmon trout, but on occasions it appears similar to the rockfish. If the Chinese chefs are to be believed, these fish are brought alive from China in tubs, and this statement is in a measure corroborated by the statement of local fish men, who say the fish are unlike anything found in America.

It is only the favored few of the white patrons that have had the opportunity to sample this new dainty. Others that have asked to have it served have been received with that blank expression used by the wily Mongolians to confuse the white barons. But the favored ones that have tasted it say it is good, even delicious.

It requires at least a day's notice to obtain the new dainty, for not even the regular Chinese patrons can get it off-hand. Then when the dish is ready to be served the patron is notified to present himself at the restaurant.

As a preliminary the guest or guests sit down to preliminary dinner of the usual bird's nest soup order. Then, when this is cleared away, the servants bring in, with much ceremony, a tub of clear salt water. In this the fish is swimming about, alive and lively.

Having presented the tub before the guests, the chief attendant, with a dextrous hand, grasps the fish by the gills and lifts it from the water. Laying it upon a long teakwood board, he takes from another servant a thin, curved steel knife, sharp pointed and as sharp as a razor. Turning the fish so that the back of the head lies between the thumb and forefinger of his left hand, he inserts the knife with a quick upward movement under the dorsal fin.

Instantly the fish ceases its struggles, and with another deft stroke the knife is run along its back, laying bare the spine and the ends of the ribs. Turning the fish, first upon one side and then upon the other, the head man makes incisions from the gills clear back to the tail. This done, he bends the head and tail together, and with a barbed skewer fastens them. At this point another servant hands the carver a vial of strong Chinese vinegar.

Decanting the fluid so that a single drop hangs from the lip of the vial, he taps it gently so that the single drop falls into the eye of the fish.

A single mighty convulsion immediately seizes it. With one writhing shudder it turns over on its back, the flesh falling on one side and the entire skeleton of the fish on the other. Then the head servant claps his hands, the servants remove the bones and viscera, and with a few more quick movements of the knife the fish is sliced into convenient portions.

After the quivering flesh has been placed upon plates the servants pour a thick brown sauce upon it, and, still quivering, the fish is passed to the guests.

Those that have tasted it say that the brown sauce thoroughly disguises the fishy taste and at the same time removes the repugnance that one might feel at eating raw fish. Some of the more ardent admirers of the Chinese cuisine say they can readily understand why the Chinese hold the dish in such reverence, but others less enthusiastic say they can see nothing better in it than underdone cod or half broiled mackerel.

A few days ago one of San Francisco's society women thought she would do the honors to a friend from New York by giving one of these fish dinners. The affair, however, was not a success, for both the New York woman and her unmarried sister became deathly ill during the preliminary ceremonies, and before the dish was served were obliged to rise and hurriedly leave the restaurant. It can be imagined what the disgust of the Chinese chef was at this instance of American barbarism. The others, however, remained and ate the fish.—New York World.

**The Professor's Love Poem.**  
Why does it haunt me, haunt me, haunt me like this—

Two or three freckles, the sanest nose,  
Lips like cherries, and made to kiss—  
Kissed by others since, I suppose?

Kissed by others, I suppose.  
What does it matter? I had my share.  
Breezes and breezes fondle the rose—  
Tell me, for this is the rose less fair?

Professor George L. Kittredge, a dignified preceptor who came from Cambridge to represent old Harvard at the forty-first annual dinner of her Chicago alumni in the University club, wished heartily the other night that he had never written the above lines. They were the outpourings of his youth and were published in The Harvard Advocate years ago. He had supposed they had dropped into oblivion, but they were to haunt him at the feast when President Dunlap Smith, or Bill Smith, as Rev. Samuel A. Eliot called him, introducing the grave minded savant, pulled from his coat pocket a musty volume of college poems and read therefrom the verses.—Chicago Chronicle.

## AN AMENDMENT REJECTED.

House Shows Generosity to the Nation's Defenders Who Perished at Their Post of Duty—Naval Bill to Be Taken Up Today.

Washington, March 22.—The house Monday passed the Maine relief bill unanimously, rejecting the amendment of Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriations committee. The amendment was to allow all the surviving officers and men twelve months' sea pay, without rations, in full compensation for losses sustained by them.

Mr. Boutelle explained that it was the idea of the committee that congress should be as liberal toward the victims of the Maine disaster as it had been toward those who suffered in the Samoan disaster, and the bill had been drawn along the lines of the bill passed for the relief of the Samoan victims. The committee did not believe that the survivors should be reimbursed beyond the actual losses incurred. The provision relating to the filing of the scheduled loss and sworn to could be carefully hedged about and could not be criticised successfully.

Representative Cousins (Iowa) made an eloquent speech, in which he said that "a patient and patriotic people were ready for the truth and for their duty."

**Wants a Referendum Clause.**  
Washington, March 22.—After the transaction of some routine business in the senate Monday Mr. Bacon (Ga.) introduced an amendment which he announced he would offer to the resolution providing for the annexation of the Hawaiian islands to the United States. The amendment provides that the resolution shall not be effective until the question of annexation shall have been submitted to the qualified electors of Hawaii and passed upon affirmatively by them. The amendment is the same which Mr. Bacon offered to the Hawaiian treaty and which is still pending.

**Millions for the Navy.**  
Washington, March 22.—The house committee on naval affairs completed the naval appropriation bill Monday and it will be reported to the house today. While the footings of the various items were not completed when the committee adjourned, the bill is roughly calculated as carrying between \$36,000,000 and \$37,000,000, of which about \$3,000,000 will be expended on this year's work on the three new battleships, six torpedo-boats and six torpedo-boat destroyers.

**To Settle Railroad Debts.**  
Washington, March 22.—The senate Pacific railroads committee reported favorably a bill creating the secretary of the treasury, the secretary of the interior, and the attorney general a commission to settle the debts of the Central Pacific and the Sioux City and Pacific railroads, and to make such extensions as may be expedient to secure the government's interests. An amendment provides that the full amount of the principal and interest due from the Central Pacific must be paid.

**Wants More Investigation.**  
Washington, March 22.—Representative Wheeler of Alabama Monday introduced a joint resolution creating a joint committee, to consist of seven senators and seven representatives, to investigate the question of our relations with Spain growing out of the Cuban troubles, and to recommend to congress what action should be taken.

**For Independence of Cuba.**  
Washington, March 22.—Representative King of Utah introduced a resolution in the house Monday looking to the recognition of the republic of Cuba by congress.

## IMPORTANT LIBEL RULING.

Truth of an Article Complained of Is a Justification in Law.

St. Louis, March 22.—Judge Selden S. Spencer of division 7 of the St. Louis circuit court Monday handed down a decision on the rights of newspapers to plead in justification in libel suits that the articles sued on were true.

The point came up on a motion for a rehearing in the case of Charles B. Stark vs. Publishers George Knapp & Co., in which Stark sues for damages on account of articles published. Judge Spencer refused a rehearing of the case, which had been decided in favor of the defendants. The defense was that what was published was true. Judge Spencer said in part: "If the substance of the publication in its full and fair meaning is alleged and proved to be true the justification is complete."

**Swept by Prairie Fire.**  
Sioux City, Iowa, March 22.—A strip fifty miles long by thirty wide in the southern part of Holt and Rock counties, Nebraska, was swept by a prairie fire Saturday and Sunday, and thousands of dollars' worth of damage done. Many farmers lost their houses, barns, hay and grain, and a few their live stock.

**Coal Diggers to Strike.**  
Sharon, Pa., March 22.—Coal diggers in Mercer, Lawrence and Butler counties threaten a strike, to commence April 1. The miners have resolved to join the Pittsburgh district and force the Chicago agreement, quitting work April 1 and remaining out until the operators agree. Several thousand men will be involved.

**Try Martin Again.**  
Hazleton, Pa., March 23.—Despite the efforts of the opposition to discourage them, the prosecution committee have decided to bring again to trial Sheriff James Martin and a number of his deputies for the shooting at Lattimer Sept. 10.

## RIVAL OF HOLLAND BOAT.

Thomas Pratt Has Fitted Four Wings to His Novel Diving Vessel.

Thomas Pratt of Clinton, N. J., has nearly completed a novel craft. She is 28 feet over all, 5 feet in beam, and her draft is 4 feet 3 inches. When floating, she is similar in some respects to the Holland submarine torpedo boat. Her sinking and rising are controlled by what Mr. Pratt terms "friction wings," of which there are four, one forward and one aft of the port bow and stern and the same on the starboard bow and stern.

No rudder is used on this boat, as the wings take its place. Twin engines develop about 12 horsepower. The boiler is of a new type, the inventor's chief idea in the boat, and it is his secret. The boiler not only supplies pressure for the engine, but provides fresh air to the crew.

When the boat is about to be submerged, according to Mr. Pratt, she takes in sufficient water ballast to almost sink her. This ballast can be taken aboard in a minute, and the friction wheels do the rest. The wheel is of the outward twist type.

The boat is fitted with dynamo and storage battery for submerged use and a powerful searchlight, which can be used above or below water. The speed of this boat, it is said, will be about 12 knots an hour and eight knots when submerged.—New York World.

## BANK FOR DAWSON CITY.

Arrangements With the Canadian Government For Its Protection.

The provisions of the agreement between the Canadian government and the Bank of Commerce under which the bank establishes a branch at Dawson City have recently been made public. The banking house will be within the inclosure of the mounted police, and the officers of the bank will travel in company with and under the protection of any detachment of mounted police which may be en route.

Regarding the shipment of gold to the coast, the government is, when requested, to provide within Canadian territory a police escort therewith, but this must not be oftener than once in four months, the amount of shipment to be not less than \$5,000,000. The government at the same time does not hold itself liable for the safety of the gold against robbery.

The agreement further provides that when the owner of gold subject to royalty pays that royalty to the bank and sells the remainder of his gold or part of it to the bank he shall be entitled to receive bank drafts payable in any part of Canada, New York, Chicago or San Francisco, and no deduction is to be made for the drafts, it being understood that the charges will be paid back by the government out of the royalties.—New York Sun.

**Lord Elgin May Retire.**  
London, March 22.—The Standard says it has reason to believe that the earl of Elgin and Kincardine, viceroy of India since 1893, desires to resign his post and that the government is considering the appointment of a new viceroy.

**Irish Measure Is Advanced.**  
London, March 22.—In the house of commons Monday the Irish local government bill passed a second reading without a division and amid loud cheers.

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called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1/4 as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

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Will it soon wear away? Oh! No! How many thousands of unfortunate sufferers have gone down to an untimely grave because they heeded not the warnings. A weak heart never cures itself. Because of its feeble action circulation is impaired, the digestive organs are deranged, the liver and kidneys fail to cleanse the impurities from the blood. Disease and decay affect the whole body, but Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure will put things to rights. It stimulates digestion and assimilation, while it assists the liver and kidneys in their work purifying the blood. It gives new strength to the heart and builds up the tissues.

Mrs. Alice Clark, Elkhart, Ind., re-

lates her experience in the following words: "About two years ago I began to have occasional fainting spells, which gradually grew more frequent and more severe. After each spell I would be very weak and nervous, and my heart exhibited signs of functional disorder. My physician was unable to relieve me, my trouble developed into nervous prostration, and it was exceedingly limited. But I am happy to say that now that time is evidently far distant, thanks to Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nerve. After the first few doses of those medicines my appetite improved, my spirits brightened and I grew rapidly better. In six weeks I had gained ten pounds,

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496 P. N. Short Corsets go at 85c, worth \$1.00.

411 P. N. Long Corsets go at 85c, worth \$1.00.

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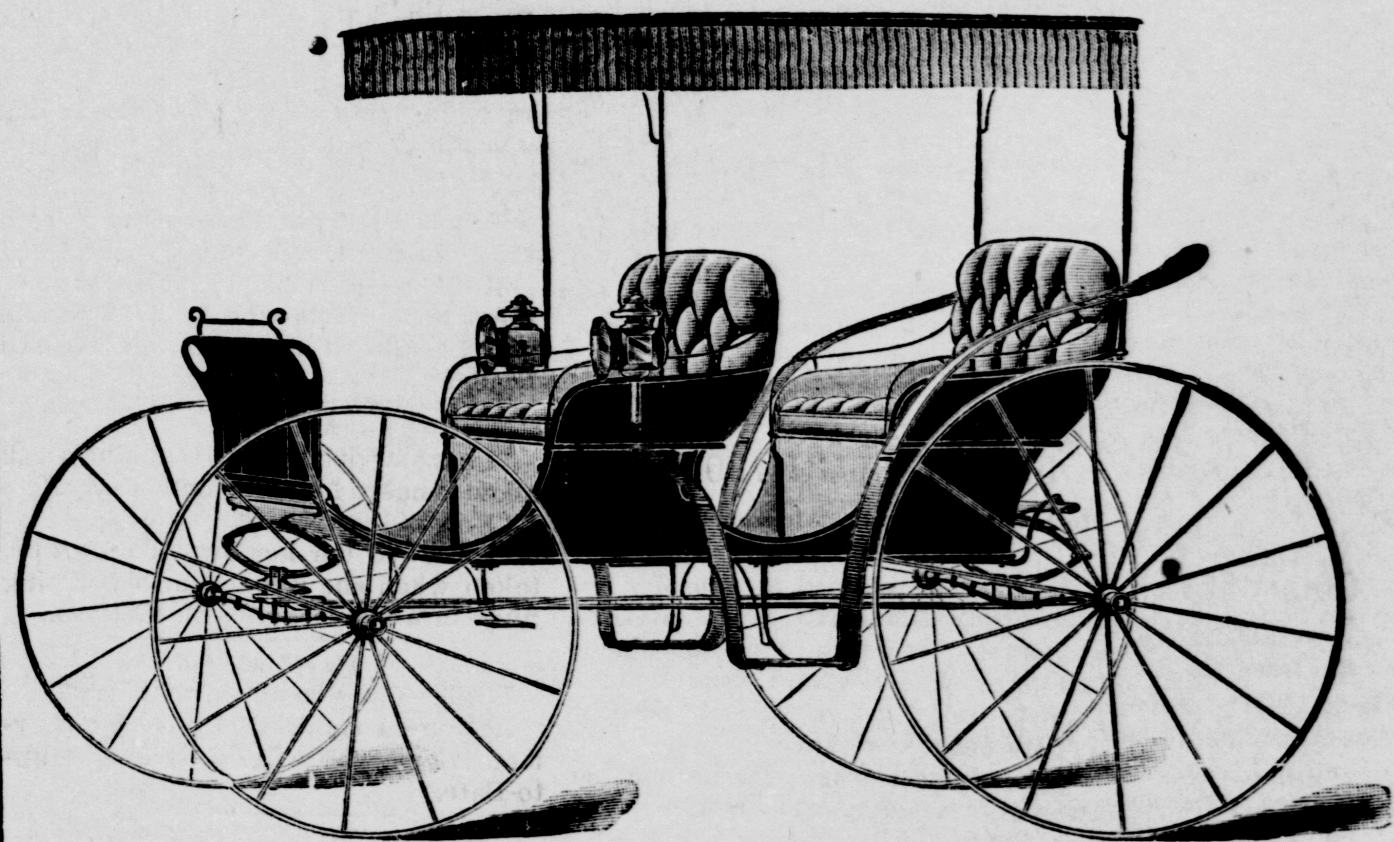
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## LODGING HOUSE IN FLAMES.

Fire Breaks Out at 3 O'clock Monday Morning—Many Persons Injured and Missing—Seven-story Building Burned at Chicago.

Butte, Mont., March 22.—The Hale house, a large three-story brick building in East Broadway used as a lodging and boarding house by miners in the employ of the Anaconda company, was destroyed by fire which broke out shortly after 3 o'clock Monday morning. So far as known two men are dead from injuries received in jumping from the windows, another is dying and twenty are missing, while a search of the ruins may show that many transient lodgers lost their lives. The known dead are:

MATT DOYLE, aged 45, miner; jumped from third-story window.

FRANK ROHDEY, aged 40, lately from Portland, Ore.; jumped from third-story window.

The injured are:

Hugh Boyle, aged 30, miner at the Anaconda mine; cannot recover.

Pat Galligan; severely burned.

John T. Carter; badly burned and cut by glass.

J. J. Conroy; burned on hands and bones fractured.

Barney Reynolds; right leg fractured.

Mike Judge; right arm broken.

John Irwin; burned about the neck and face and cut by glass.

There were 250 men and women in the building when the fire broke out. Of these it is believed about 200 escaped without injury.

The night was very cold, the thermometer showing 5 degrees below zero. It is possible some of the missing men may turn up yet. Early in the day the list of the supposed dead ran up as high as fifty. This was because many of the men who escaped did not report for work at the mines. Little by little, however, the list decreased as the men reported, until but twenty known lodgers were unaccounted for.

The Hale house belonged to the Anaconda company. It was built in 1895 at a cost of \$70,000, and without the furniture and belongings of the lodgers the loss will reach fully \$100,000.

**BIG FIRE AT CHICAGO.**  
Seven-story Building Totally Destroyed—No Loss of Life.

Chicago, March 22.—In addition to totally destroying the seven-story Shoeneman building, 303-305 Dearborn street, and 46-48 Plymouth place, fire Monday afternoon bored its way through the walls of the Manhattan building on the south, and on the north, in story leaps, licked up window frames and casings from the seventh to the fourteenth floors of the Old Colony building. The loss on the Shoeneman building was \$30,000 and that of the thirteen unlucky firms quartered in it was approximately \$115,000, while the damage done to each of the adjacent big buildings was through fire and water, about \$1,500. The losses of office tenants in the tier along each outer wall were sufficient in the aggregate to add \$1,000 more to the total loss. Fortunately there was no loss of life, the occupants of the building making their escape at the first alarm.

**Big Cotton Factory Burned.**  
San Antonio, Texas, March 22.—Private advices were received here from Magdalena, Mexico, of the destruction by fire of the Magdalena cotton factory, situated near there. It was one of the largest cotton mills in Mexico and the loss is \$300,000, covered by insurance. One thousand workmen are thrown out of employment.

**To Test Reapportionment Act.**  
Joliet, Ill., March 22.—County Clerk Hutchinson has refused to receive or file the nomination papers in the case of William Mooney, named as a candidate for senator from the old twenty-fifth district, as the basis of a suit by the democrats to test the validity of the senatorial reapportionment act. It is possible the next step may be before Secretary of State Rose, and from there through the courts to the supreme bench.

**Blizzard in the West.**  
Omaha, Neb., March 22.—A terrible snow and wind storm prevailed at Omaha and elsewhere in Nebraska Monday. The wind was blowing a gale of seventy-eight miles an hour and the mercury dropped from summer heat at 5 o'clock p. m. to nearly zero at midnight. The indications are for a blizzard of great severity.

**Cuba Lost to Spain.**  
Brussels, March 22.—A dispatch to Le Soir from Madrid describes an interview with Pi y Margall, at one time president of the Spanish federal republic and is chief of the ministry, in which he is represented as declaring that Cuba is practically lost to Spain.

**Two More Bodies Recovered.**  
Chicago, March 22.—Two bodies were found in the ruins of the Ayer building Monday. They were those of A. M. Peterson, a shipping clerk for W. A. Olmsted & Co., and C. H. Arms, partner in the W. A. Olmsted Company.

**Flood Grows Worse.**  
Niles, Mich., March 22.—The St. Joseph river is higher than it has been in ten years, and is steadily rising. All the factories and mills along the river have been compelled to shut down.

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It may lead to consumption. A 25¢ bottle of Shiloh's cure may save your life. For sale by People's Drug Co.

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## PINGREE'S TAXATION BILL.

Provides Corporations Must Pay Their Due Proportion to the State.

Lansing, Mich., March 22.—The Pingree bill for the taxation of railroad, telegraph, telephone and express companies was made public Monday. It contemplates the appointment by the governor within thirty days after the passage of the act of four citizens to constitute a board of assessors, of which the auditor-general shall be president. On May 1 of each year the companies must file statements setting forth in detail all of their property and earnings, the value of their stock and by whom held. This property, together with their franchises, is to be assessed at its true cash value, and pay the same average rate of taxation as is paid in the state for all purposes, except special benefits. This tax is to be in lieu of all other state and local taxes. The bill covers union station and depot companies. The annual reports are to cover also the gross receipts for the year ending May 1, and all other facts called for by the board.

Gov. Pingree issued the following to the press: "The tax bill now pending before the legislature is one of great importance to the people. It is to be discussed before committees, on the floor of the houses and in presence of all the members. It is very important that the people of this state should make their wishes known to their representatives. I wish through you to invite the chairmen of the different state and county committees composing the different parties of this state to come here in person and address the committees for or against the bill; or, if they cannot come, to submit their views in writing."

## TO SEND MORE TROOPS.

Russia Will Increase Her Forces at Vladivostok by 30,000 Men.

Vienna, March 22.—The Politische Correspondenz says that 30,000 seasoned Russian troops will be conveyed from Odessa to Vladivostok during 1898.

The same paper gives what purports to be the information Russia has received regarding Japan's naval activity, putting in concrete form what is already partly known, namely, that forty-seven warships are being built to Japan's order in Great Britain, Germany, France, and the United States, at a cost of 193,000,000 yen.

The paper adds that arrangements have been made for a large increase in the personnel of the Japanese navy, and that the number of transports will be greatly augmented.

## Honors to Dead Jurists.

Madison, Wis., March 22.—Memorial services were held in the Wisconsin supreme court rooms Monday afternoon for the late Justice A. W. Newman, ex-Senator James R. Doolittle of Racine and former Circuit Judge T. Mills of Lancaster, all of whom were conspicuous figures in the making of Wisconsin, and all of whom have died within a few months. A large attendance was present, including many ladies and many lawyers from distant parts of the state. Bar memorials to each of the jurists were read and tributes paid them by individual speakers.

## Must Restore Muskego Lake.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 22.—Judge Johnson Monday rendered his decision in the case of August Priewe against the Wisconsin State Land and Improvement company, awarding \$1,000 damages to Priewe, and declaring the law that authorized the company to drain Muskego lake null and void. The decision commands that the level of the lake be restored to the level which it had before the canal was cut from it to Wind Lake, under the authority of the law passed in 1891.

## Want the Next Methodist Conference

Chicago, March 22.—A determined effort is being made by the Methodist laymen of Chicago to secure the next general conference of the Methodist church, to be held in 1900. It will be the most important conference that has yet been held, and will be especially interesting on account of the question of lay representation. A committee has been appointed to raise \$50,000 toward securing the session.

## Anti-Trust Laws Are Certain.

Columbus, Ohio, March 22.—The Valentine anti-trust bill passed the senate Monday without a dissenting vote. As an almost exactly similar bill has already passed the house it is certain that a rigid anti-trust law will be placed on the Ohio statute books before the legislature adjourns.

## Modern Woodmen Cases Up.

Morrison, Ill., March 22.—Circuit court convened here Monday in special session, Judge Bigelow presiding. The Modern Woodmen cases have been taken up, and will probably consume two or three days. An effort is being made to consolidate all the cases except one.

## Wire Company Incorporated.

Springfield, Ill., March 22.—Articles of incorporation of the American Steel and Wire company were filed with the secretary of state Monday. The capital stock is placed at \$12,000,000, equally divided into preferred and common shares.

## Dunkards Leave Missouri.

Warrensburg, Mo., March 22.—About sixty families of Dunkards have sold their farms in this county, and are removing to new homes in the Red river valley of North Dakota.

## Finds \$1,500,000 in Alaska.

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 22.—Jacob Nanchett, a boy who left here ten years ago for Alaska, has returned worth \$1,500,000. He was a hotel porter at the time he left.

## Lawyers to Name a Judge.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 22.—So many applicants have come forward for the place on the Circuit bench made vacant by the death of John D. Miller of the 8th circuit that Gov. Mount announced that he would appoint any republican upon whom the bar of Decatur and Rush counties may agree. The lawyers of the two counties will meet to select a man.

## Was Anchored Over a Mine.

New York, March 22.—Hugh McGee, a diver on the wrecking tug Right Arm, which was recently employed on the hulk of the Maine, in Havana harbor, and which is now lying at the foot of Eighth street, Hoboken, has told several acquaintances in that city that the Maine was blown up by the explosion of a mine underneath her.

## French Fleet Mobilized.

London, March 22.—The St. James' Gazette, commenting upon the mobilization of the French fleet, suggests it may be connected with the Spanish question, and says: "If the trouble between Spain and the United States should become acute it would precipitate issues of great moment for France."

## Two Ships Lost to Us.

London, March 22.—The Daily News' Rome correspondent says that Spain has bought the cruiser Garibaldi from Italy. The Argentine Republic has bought the cruiser Varez. The United States wanted to purchase both of these vessels, but was too late.

## Home Seekers' Excursions.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round trip home-seekers' excursion tickets March 15, April 5 and 19, at half fare rates plus \$2 to points on the line of the road in Iowa, Minnesota and the two Dakotas. Tickets will also be sold to points on other lines in the northwestern, western, southern and southwestern states at reduced rates.

## GOOD NEWS

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County in Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D. 1898, being Sept. 6th, 1898, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Wilhelm Bohm, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of August, A. D. 1898, or be barred.—Dated Feb. 15, 1898.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 15th day of February, 1898, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The petition of Mary C. Haviland and Merritt H. Haviland, executrix and executor of the will of John H. Haviland, deceased, for a license to mortgage or sell all or any portion of the several parcels of real estate described in said petition for the payment of the debts of deceased and the expenses of administration of his estate, as to the Court upon the hearing may seem expedient.

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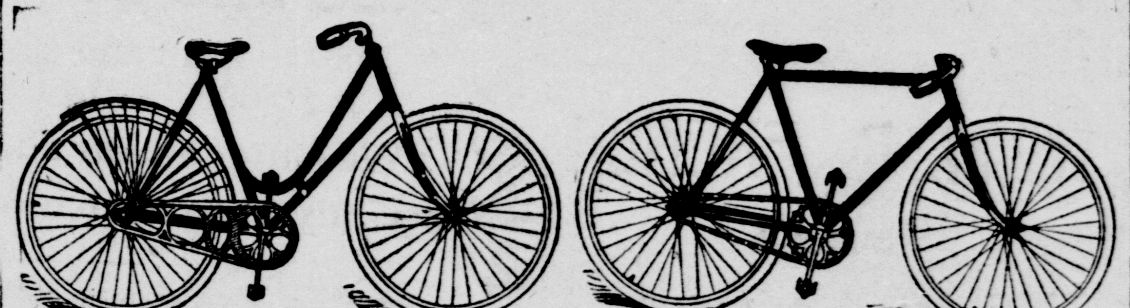
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Chicago & Northwestern	Leave	Arrive
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 am	9:30 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:40 am	8:10 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:20 pm	12:40 am
Chgo Via Beloit, Rockford, & La Crosse	7:10 am	11:40 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:10 am	6:40 pm
Beloit, Rockford, & DeKalb	8:25 am	10:45 pm
Freeport, Omaha, & La Crosse	7:30 pm	10:25 am
Waterloo, Fond du Lac, & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Waterloo & Juneau Freight	4:00 pm	7:30 am
Waterloo, Madison, & Evansville	8:15 pm	7:30 am
Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, & Winona and points in Minn & Dak	6:30 am	.....
Evansville, Madison, Elroy, & La Crosse	11:00 am	3:00 pm
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison, & Duluth	8:05 pm	8:20 am
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, & Duluth	9:30 pm	6:30 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, & Duluth	12:45 am	7:20 pm
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	10:40 pm	1:15 pm
Waterloo, Fond du Lac, & Milwaukee	7:00 am	10:40 pm
Oshkosh and Beloit, DeKalb, & Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb, & Beloit	10:40 pm	12:10 pm
*Daily *Sunday only		12:10 pm

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	Leave	Arrive
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, & Beloit	1:10 pm	12:50 pm
Milwaukee, Watertown, & Chicago	7:00 am	9:00 am
St. Paul, La Crosse, & Portage and Madison	6:30 am	8:10 pm
Edgerton, Monroeville, Madison, & La Crosse	4:40 pm	7:40 pm
Center, Prairie du Chien, & McGregor	8:40 am	8:17 am
La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul, & Minneapolis	4:40 pm	11:30 am
Iowa, Minnesota, North and South Dakota St. Paul, & Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via McGregor—daily except Saturday	9:20 pm	9:17 am
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, & Beloit, (daily)	9:35 am	4:10 pm
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, & Beloit, (daily)	11:30 am	.....
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, & Beloit, (daily)	11:30 am	6:00 pm
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, & Beloit, (daily)	11:30 am	9:00 am
Kansas City, St. Paul, & Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia., & Beloit, Rockford, & Beloit, (daily)	12:30 pm	10:00 am
St. Paul, La Crosse, & Portage and Madison	6:30 pm	4:10 pm
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 am	8:00 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 pm	9:25 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 pm	4:40 pm
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	8:00 am	6:10 pm
Mixed	10:00 am	3:30 pm
*Daily		8:30 pm
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*Except Saturday		.....

## MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS	Arrive	Close
Chicago, East, West, South-west, & North-west	6:00 am	9:00 am
Chicago, East, West, South-west, & North-west	7:35 am	10:00 am
Chicago, East, West, South-west, & North-west	9:40 am	12:20
Chicago, North, East, West, & General	12:40 pm	4:10 pm
Chicago, East and all points North and West	6:00 pm	8:00 pm
Chicago, East and all points North and West	6:30 pm	7:00 pm
SUNDAY MAILS		
Chicago, East, South, & Southwest	6:00 am	4:10 pm
North, Northwest, & St. Paul	7:30 pm	7:00 pm
MONDAY ONLY		
Chicago, East, South, & Southwest	7:00 pm	.....
STAGE MAILS		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 am	2:30 pm
Emerald Grove and Fairfield	11:00 am	2:00 am

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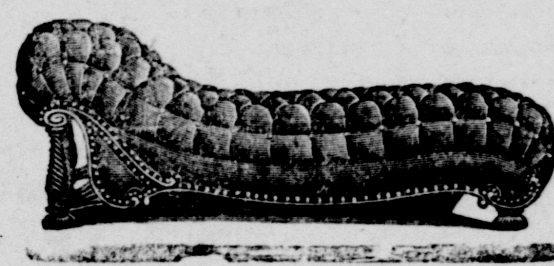
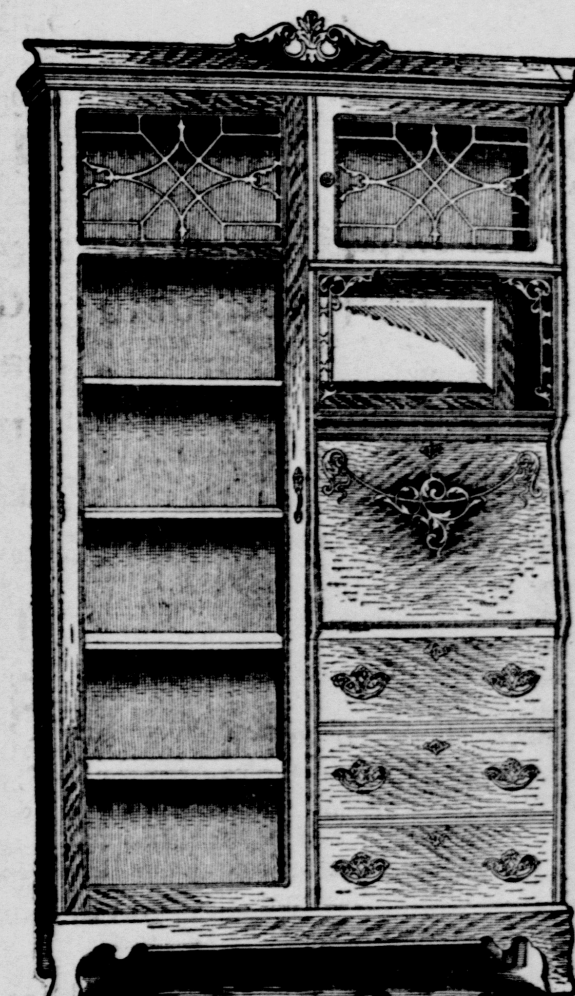
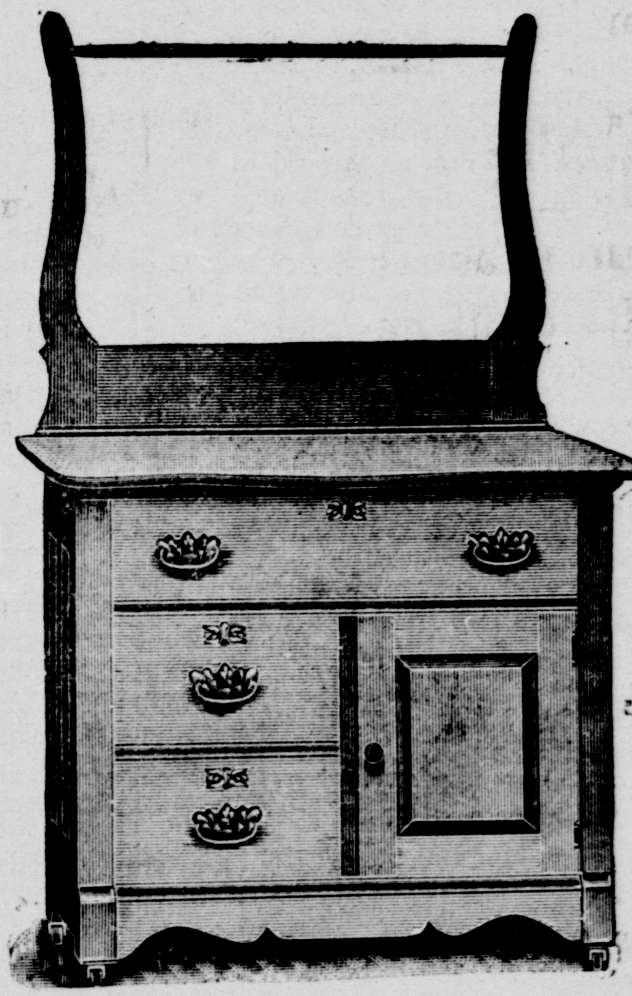
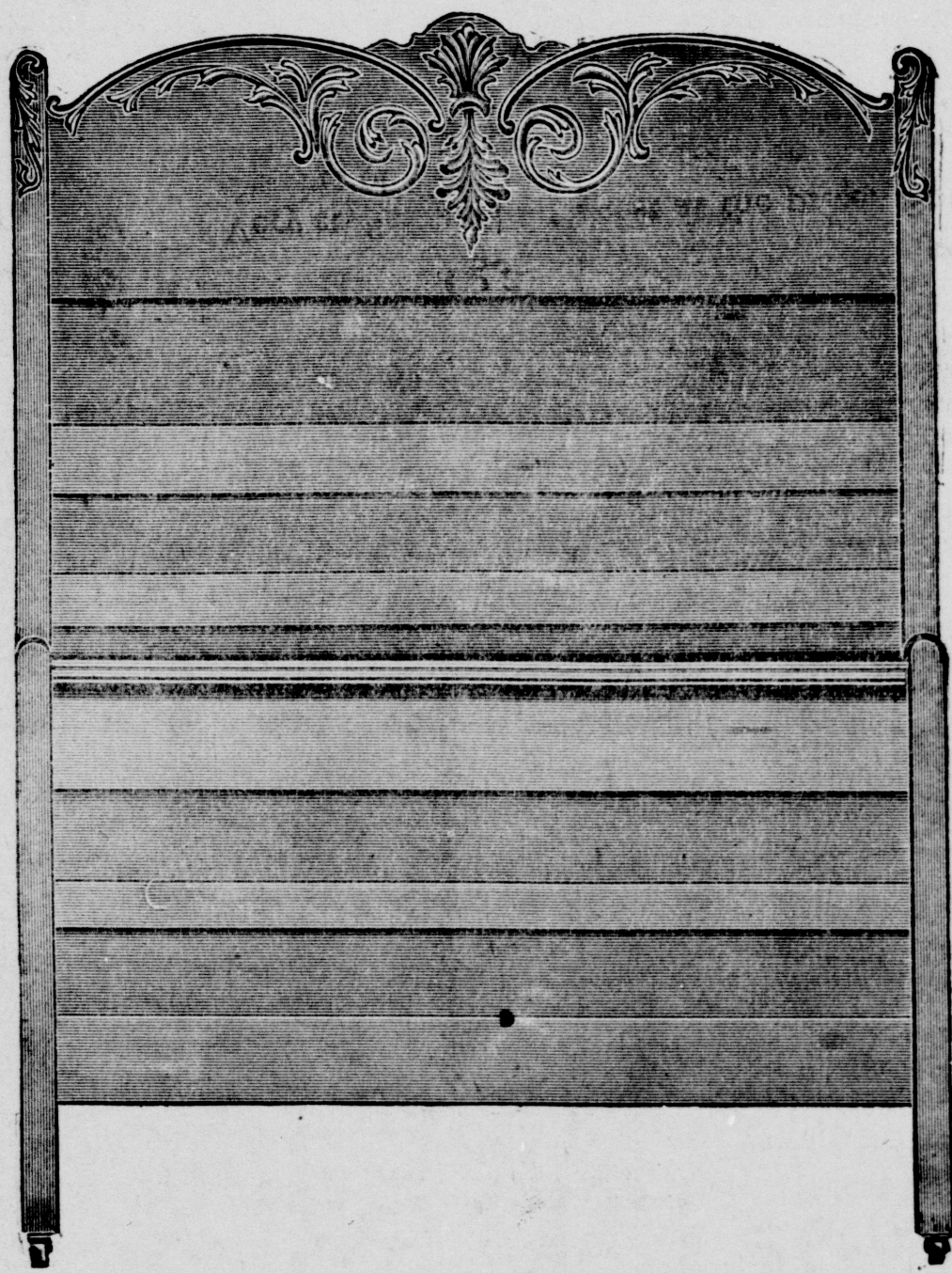
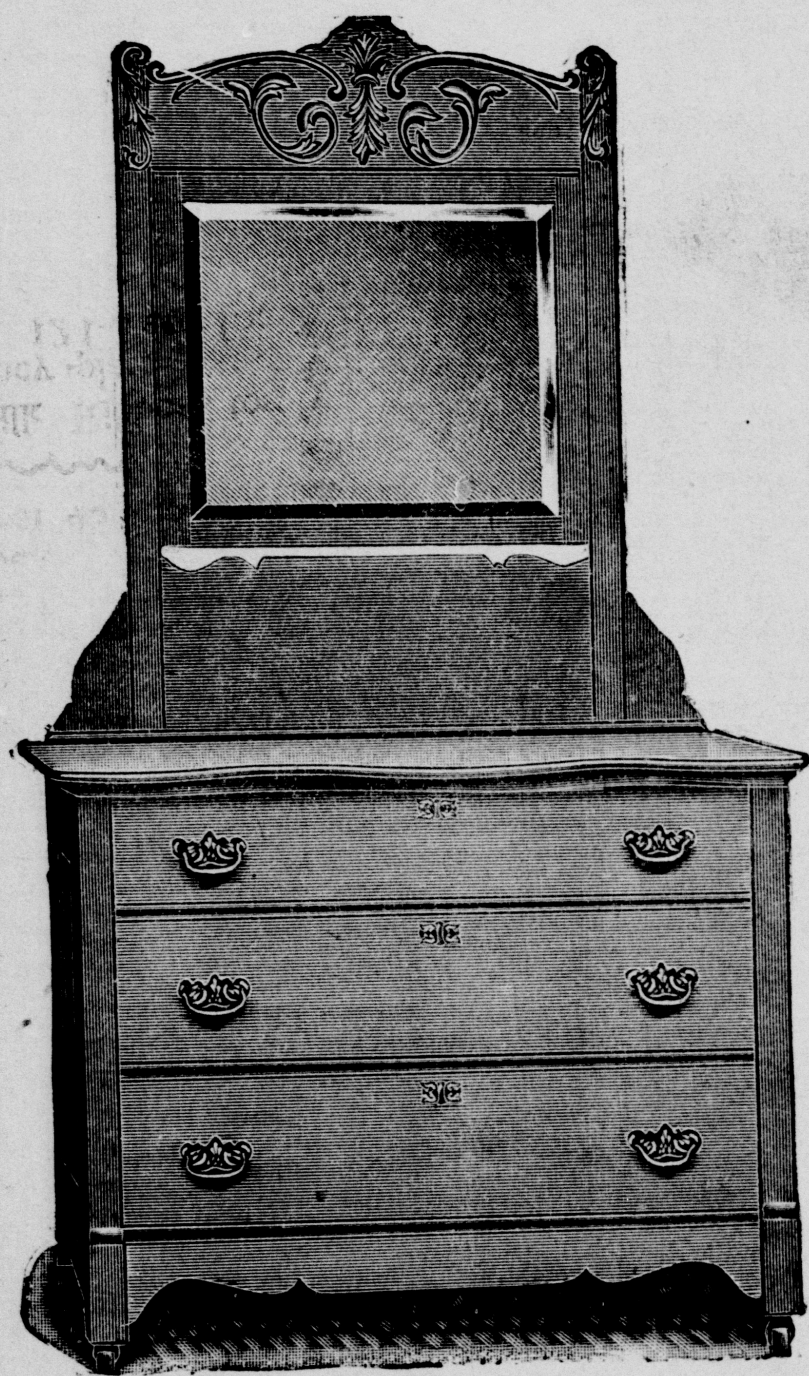
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# Ashcraft's Special March Furniture Sale Drawing to a Close.

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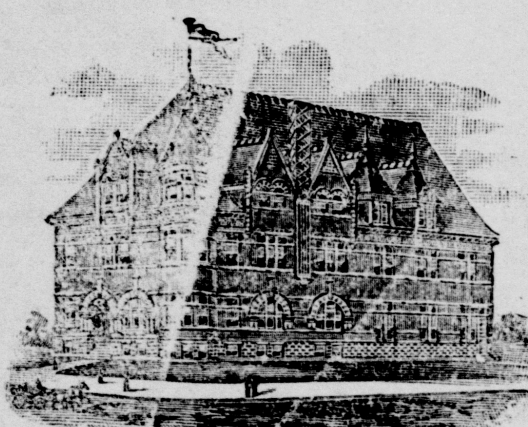
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